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MEDICAL & WAC, 48TH REGT, 47TH
DIVISION, HUNTERS-ROTC

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MEDICAL & WAC, 48TH REGT, 47TH DIV, HUNTERS-ROTC
NAME OF UNIT

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HONORIO POTENCIANG
UNIT COMMANDING OFFICER

1. Complaints
2. Investigating Officer's Notes
3. Request for recognition dtd 1 Jan 46 w/supporting papers
4. Certificate from Adeoso dtd 16 Sep 46 re screening of rosters
5. RFC ltr dtd 17 Apr 47 w/TLR by Lts Allbright & Pierce Jr.

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REMARKS:



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PHILIPPINE-CORONA COMMAND
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

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17 APR 1947

Mr. Rosario C. Potenciano
Bisan, Laguna
Philippines

Dear Mr. Potenciano:

The Commanding General has directed that you be informed that the Medical and Women's Auxiliary Corps of the Elnor Emergency Hospital, 48th Infantry Regiment, 47th Division, Bantoro-6028, purporting to be a guerrilla organization under your nominal control, has not been favorably considered for recognition.

It is felt that the recognition extended to personnel of the Signal War Regiment, Bantoro-6028, General's composite unit from the overall command under Col. Harry A. Moore, constitutes a just and adequate acknowledgment of the military services performed by the Bantoro-6028 unit.

This decision does not preclude individual requests for casualty recognition by injured personnel who desire to enter such claims. Upon request from interested individuals, appropriate forms will be forwarded.

Your attention is invited to Presidential Executive Order No. 68, Commonwealth of the Philippines, copy of which is attached, for any necessary action in connection therewith.

Thomas J. Brown

Sincerely,

THOMAS J. BROWN
GWO: USA
ASST ADJ GEN

1 Encl. (Presidential Executive Order No. 68)

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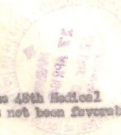
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Col Gerald F Millard:

1. The Medical and Nec (also referred to as the 48th Medical Company) (Hunters-ROTC) consisting of 94 members has not been favorably considered.

2. See certificate of Col Terry Adevoce, attached.

3. No useful purpose will be served by the investigation of this unit.

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CIVILIAN INVESTIGATION OF
LHOWVE T BROWN

There are no members worthy of recognition and the unit suffered no casualties.

John W. Brindley
Major H. Marco, Jr
1st Lt. [illegible]

1. Concur: Capt S O Buchanan
Chief, Southern Line

2. Concur: Maj G H Eastwell
Chief, Unit Investigation Section

3. Concur: Lt Col S J Felton
Chief, Unit Branch

1 APR 1954

OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF
FOR PERSONNEL
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Report on Medical and Women's Auxiliary Corps, Binan, Laguna

1. On 15 April 1947 Lts Lester W Pierce, Jr. and Marion C Allbright examined the unit file of the Medical and Women's Auxiliary Corps (also known as Medical and Wac, or 48th Medical Company).

2. ALLEGED HISTORY: See attached unit file.

3. FINDINGS:

Col Adevosio has agreed in writing to withdraw all of his units from the files pending investigation and to waive all rights of any further claims of the Hunters, with the exception of casualties and the Bisumi Fighters. (See attached certificate by Col Adevosio).

4. POLITICAL ASPECTS: This unit appears to have no political aspirations or affiliations.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS:

Recommend that the Medical and Women's Auxiliary Corps be not favorably considered for recognition.

Marion C Allbright
MARION C ALLBRIGHT
1st Lt., FA

Lester W Pierce Jr.
LESTER W PIERCE JR.
1st Lt., INF

1 Incl
Certificate fr Col Terry
Adevoso, dtd 16 Sept 46

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HUNTERS VETERANS LEGION
1615 Andalucia, Manila

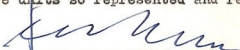
16 September 1946

C E R T I F I C A T E

I certify that all rosters of The Hunters or ROTC Guerrillas, except that of the "Bisumi Fighters" of the Batanes Island Group which have not yet been contacted, have been screened to include most of the deserving still-unrecognized members.

This highly-screened roster forms the "1st Hunters-ROTC Guerrilla Cadre Regiment" which consists of approximately 3,760 officers and men who were selected from the various units of The Hunters or ROTC Guerrillas.

Certain units of The Hunters or ROTC Guerrillas are not represented in the "1st Hunters-ROTC Guerrilla Cadre Regiment" as a result of their Unit CO's voluntary waiving of their right to have their respective units so represented and recognized.



FERRY "MAGTANGOL" ADEVOSO
Major, INF., O-42208 PA
Acting Legion Commander

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2 Copies- HQ Hunters Veterans Legion

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UNITED STATES PHILIPPINE ISLANDS' FORCES
THE HUNTERS-ROTC GUERRILLAS
48th Inf. Regt., 47th Div.

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1 January 1946

Subject: RECOGNITION? Request for
To : The CHIEF GUERRILLA AFFAIR SECTION, AFPAC

1. Request that the Medical and Women's Auxiliary Corps of the Bifan Emergency Hospital be entitled to recognition for the following reasons:

A. Said Medical and Women's Auxiliary Corps has been an active and necessary unit in the functions of the U. S. Army during the period of liberation. Said unit took care of the welfare of the masses, giving first aid, medical care, feeding and rehabilitation of somewhere around 40,000 civilian evacuees.

B. Said Medical and Women's Auxiliary Corps has functioned under the 48th. Regt. prior to the arrival of the U. S. Army to the southern provinces of Manila.

Said unit functioned purely as a non-profit organization receiving nothing for its services.

Said unit greatly helped the come-rade in arms and civilian evacuees from the massacred areas of the Provinces of Laguna and Batangas.

With the arrival of PCAU No. 2 U. S. Army in their sector, said unit were recognized and given regular supplies of medicine and food for their patients.

C. It will be unfair if this said unit who had served voluntarily and unselfishly toward the final victory will not be given due recognition.

To: Gonzales -
Pending Investigation.

Jose Borja
JOSE BORJA
Lt.-Col. Inf. Gr1
C.O.

UNITED STATES PHILIPPINE ISLANDS FORCES
THE HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS
48th Inf. Regt., 47th Division
BIÑAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL
Biñan, Laguna

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30 December 1945

Subject: Recognition request for,
To : Col. TERRY MAGTANGOL
Commanding Officer, HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS
(Through channels)

Request that the MEDICAL and WOMEN'S AUXILIARY CORPS of the BIÑAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL be given priority for recognition by the Philippine Army based on the following reasons.

1. That we belong to the 48th Inf. Regt., 47th Division of the HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS under Lt. Col. Jose Bourbon.

2. That we are entitled for the said recognition like the other members of the organization.

3. That we gave medical care to all Guerilla organizations, and civilian casualties from the massacred areas of Laguna and Batangas province prior to the arrival of the UNITED STATES ARMY in this sector.

4. That we have accomplished our duties as part of the 48th Inf. Regt., 47th Division HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS, and had worked with PCAU 2, UNITED STATES ARMY, without compensation.

Enclosed herewith are the supporting papers for our claims.

H. Potenciano
HONORIO C. POTENCIANO
Capt. MC, Commanding Officer
48th MEDICAL COMPANY

Encl;

- 1 copy PCAU 2 commendation
- 1 copy Municipal commendation, Biñan, Laguna
- 1 copy Roster, BIÑAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL staff, 48th MEDICAL COMPANY
- 1 copy Roster, WOMEN'S AUXILIARY CORP, 48th MEDICAL COMPANY
- 1 copy brief history BIÑAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL, 48th MEDICAL COMPANY

BRIEF HISTORYBIÑAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL
48th MEDICAL COMPANY48th Inf. Regt., 47th Division
HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS

30 December 1945

On 4 February 1945 the 48th Inf. Regt. HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS under Lt. Col. Jose Bourbon entered the town of Biñan Laguna and drove the Japanese out of their garrison. Together with this unit was the Regimental Aid Station to give medical treatment to the sick and wounded guerilla members. As the 48th Inf. Regt. push towards the town of Cabuyao and Calamba Laguna encountering Japanese troops, many civilian casualties poured into our Regimental Aid Station.

On 11 February 1945 I suggested to Lt. Col. Jose Bourbon that we need a emergency hospital to housed the increasing guerillas and civilian casualties. Our request was granted, and the Lake High School building of Biñan Laguna, was used for the said purpose.

On 12 February 1945, the Womens Auxillary Corp was organized out of the fair sex who volunteered to help the Medical Company in its effort to cope with the situation.

On 17 February 1945, the BIÑAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL under the Medical and Womens Auxillary Corps, begun to function inspite of the insufficient supply of medicine, food, and equipments. The Relief Section of the Auxillary Corp have a house to house campaign for voluntary contributions to support the hospital. The people gave a warm response, so that whatever aid they gave was a step toward our success. The Nursing Section did their job by helping the Medical Staffin the hospital 24 hours daily. However, due to the great number of evacuees from the neighboring towns and provinces, the Relief workers helped them solved their housing problems, by allotting and looking for vacant houses for them to stay temporarily. Food and clothing were also distributed to those who are in need.

On 4 March 1945, two weeks after the Biñan Emergency Hospital has started to function independently, utilizing whatever supply they had gathered from the town people, the UNITED STATES ARMY, followed by POUA #2, arrived in Biñan Laguna. We immediately requested the commanding officer of the POUA #2, Major Virgil Ashcraft to give us medical and food supplies for the maintenance of the hospital. After carefully inspecting the hospital and its personnels, our request was granted. From that day, we received regular supplies of medicines and food for the patients and needy evacuees. POUA #2 recognized the BIÑAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL and entrusted to its personnels the job of rehabilitating the townspeople and evacuees from the massacred areas of Laguna and Batangas, thus serving as their only station for this town. However, its personnels, being members and working under the 48th Regt. ROTC Guerillas, does not receive compensation for their services.

On 10 March 1945, we contacted the 21st Evacuation Hospital, U.S. Army in Muntinlupa, Rizal, so that our major surgical cases were forwarded to that hospital as we receive them.

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On 17 April 1945, i.e. two months later, we decided to send the remaining bed patients in the newly established Provincial Hospital in Sta. Rosa Laguna. Thus we were left with only a dispensary to take care of the walking patients, which is enough to cope with the much improved condition of the community.

On 31 August 1945, we turned over to the Bureau of Health and Puericulture Center of Binan Laguna, our dispensary and remaining medical supplies.

Accomplishments of the BINAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL covering the period from 17 February 1945 to 17 April 1945, were as follows:

Bed patients confined for treatment-----	380
Dispensary cases given medical treatment -----	12,308
House patients given medical care -----	855
Patients forwarded to 21st Evac. Hosp. -----	80
Evacuees given food and housing facilities -----	2,020
Dental cases -----	203
Mortality (hosp. and house patients) -----	7

Honorio C. Potenciano

HONORIO C. POTENCIANO
 Capt. MC, Commanding Officer
 48th Medical Company

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21 May 1946

SUBJ: WAC & Hospital Unit, 48th Regt
Location: BINAN, Laguna

TO : Lt Potter, Inr Sec, GAB

1. ORGANIZATION: The 48th Hunters Regt of Lt Col Borja or BOURBON had for its area of operation the towns, barrios, and fields of San Pedro Tunasan, Binan, Sta Rosa, Cabuyao, Carmona, and Bacood of west Laguna and East Cavite. Regt HQ had always been in the Carmona area. During the occupation there were organized troops in the towns and barrios and always regular combat troops in the hills. Town units supported the mountain regular troops and provided a supply of manpower for training and combat duties on a rotation system. The 48th Regt HQ was responsible to the 47th DIVISION HQ in the highlands of Cavite, and the 47th DIVISION HQ in turn was responsible to the GHQ HUNTERS-ROTC GUERRILLAS at KUTAD, NASUGBU, BATANGAS under undersigned. The WAC & HOSPITAL UNIT is an element of the BINAN or BLUE LAKE BATTALION of the 48th Regt.

2. As far as I could remember, the Blue Lake Battalion was organized in OCTOBER 1944 so that possibly the WAC & Hospital unit must have been organized at the same date. It consisted of the best professional materials from the town.

3. OPERATIONS: During the occupation (Oct '44 to Jan '45) the principal duties of this WAC & Hospital Unit were as follows:

a- canvassing of medical & food supplies and also money from among the town population and sending same to BN and REG'TL HQS where members serving active tours needed them.

b- Collecting, evaluating, and sending information on Jap strengths and disposition, movements, armaments, etc. to REG'TL HQS in Carmona mts. Running messenger errands.

c- Care and hospitalization right in town of sick men taken down from the mountains. The mountains of Carmona-Silang where the combat and regular troops stayed were treacherous for their malarial mosquitoes.

d- WHEN the American 11th A/B Division struck the beaches at NASUGBU, BATANGAS on 31 Jan 1945, GHQ HUNTERS ordered all Hunters-ROTC Units and other units cooperating under it to STRIKE. The combat troops of the 48th Regiment under Lt Col BOURBON assisted by HQS troops from the 47th DIVISION HQS of Lt Col Ocampo immediately attacked all Jap garrisons and AKAPILI concentrations in all towns within the regimental sector, ie: Cabuyao, Sta Rosa, Binan, San Pedro, Carmona, Bacood, and even ran after the Japs as far as Muntinglupa where the Japs escaped in haste by banca across the Laguna de Bay to the other side of the Bay. At this juncture the WAC & Hospital Unit of the BLUE LAKE BN, just like similar units of other battalions of the 48th Regt., came out into the open. They occupied a long low stone building as their unit HQS and hospital.

e- During the Battle for SOUTHERN MANILA & FT MCKINLEY AREA guerrilla casualties that could not be accommodated in the ROTC hospitals in Bacood, Las Pinas, Barrio Cupang, and Muntinglupa Bilibid Prisons were always taken to BINAN WAC & Hospital Unit for care and hospitalization. This hospital with a capacity of possibly 50-40 beds took care of civilian casualties and guerrilla casualties alike. In fact most of its patients were the victims of the CALAMBA-3TC TOMAS-BAY-LOS BANOS massacre of the Japs. At that time too, a ROADBLOCK composed of ROTC guerrillas was established astride the CABUYAO-CALAMBA ROAD to prevent an enemy attack from ~~that~~ the direction of CALAMBA which was then still occupied territory against the 11th A/E Division Rear. The 11th DIV then had thrown its full force against McKinley and ~~other~~ Southern Manila and had to rely on guerrillas to protect its flanks and rear. The WAC & Hospital unit took care of all casualties from the ~~xxxx~~ guerrilla force composing the roadblock.

f- When the Battale of Southern Manila and Ft McKinley finally terminated, the 11th Airborne Division with its complement of guerrilla forces turned about and ~~xxxxxx~~ drove southward passing through the 48th Regt area. Casualties from Los Banos and eastern Batangas towns began pouring into the hospital and other 48th Regt hospitals at a renewed ~~xxxx~~ rate.

g- Aside from taking care of guerrilla and civilian casualties the WAC & Hospital Units also took care of refugees from Jap held territories. There were thousands of such refugees that flooded the 48th Regiment area that were taken cared of either by this unit or some other similar units of the Hunters.

h- This unit was disbanded possibly in May 1945 as per order of GHQ Hunters-ROTC sometime in April 1945.

4. SUPPLIES: Supplies sent by this unit during the occupation to the BN & REGT'L HQS in the hills were canvassed from civilian supporters or from amongst themselves. Supplies such as food, clothings, and medicines used by this unit during the liberation campaign of February-~~xxxx~~ March '45 were requisitioned from the people and local stocks or were captured from the Japanese stocks. Supplies, etc. used by the unit for the care of refugees during April & May 1945 were supplied by the PCAU. This unit was recognized by the PCAU altho not paid as it was understood that it was a unit of guerrillas.

5. OBSERVATION: Aside from the ROTC Unit Hospital in the BILIBID PRISONS, the Binan WAC's hospital was the best I had seen during the liberation campaign of Feb-May '45. There were hospitals in LAS PINAS, BACOOD, CUPANG, STA ROSA, CABUYAO, NAIC, INDANG, TAGAYTAY, NASUGBU during the campaign prior to the Fall of Manila but this one was among the best ran and best manned. I believe that its number is justifiable. During one of the inspections I conducted I believe that I had met about 70 O's and EM in the hospital. The rest of the staff may have been outside taking care of the refugees THEN.

TERRY ADEVCSO
Ex Overall CO-Hunters
LSB, HPA APO 75

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Lt Potter
Inv Sec
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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES
PROVINCE OF LAGUNA
MUNICIPALITY OF BINAN

Office of the Municipal Council

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BINAN,
PROVINCE OF LAGUNA, HELD AT THE
OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR
ON APRIL 10, 1945.

PRESENT:	Mr. Ysidro L. Morales - - - -	Mayor
	Mr. Marcelino Batista - - - -	Vice Mayor
	Atty. Milagros A. Gamán - - - -	Councilor
	Miss Antonia Gonzales - - - -	"
	Mr. Dalmacio Karunungan - - - -	"
	" Conrado Alvarez - - - - -	"
	" Lorenzo Gana - - - - -	"
	" Ubaldo Ambás - - - - -	"

ABSENT: NONE

RESOLUTION UNNUMBERED

By unanimous consent, it was

RESOLVED: That the Municipal Council sends a resolution of its sincerest appreciation and gratitude for the humanitarian service extended by the MEDICAL CORPS AND WOMEN'S AUXILIARY CORPS of the 48th Regiment, M.C.T.C. in the Municipality of Binan, Province of Laguna, for its most profound interests in the immediate formation of the BINAN HOSPITAL, for the relief and salvation of the evacuees and to the inhabitants of this Municipality in general, thus alleviating the miserable conditions brought by the MONSTER OF THE EAST, THE JAPANESE, INHABITANTS OF THE EMPIRE OF EASTERN ASIA.

Order: That a copy of this resolution be furnished by the COMMANDING OFFICERS of the Medical Corps and the WAC.

DONE AT BINAN, LAGUNA, this 8th day of April, 1945, The Commonwealth of the Philippines.

Y. Morales
YSIDRO L. MORALES
Mayor

D. Karunungan
Dalmacio Karunungan
Vice Mayor

M. Batista
Marcelino Batista
Vice Mayor

M. Gamán
Atty. Milagros A. Gamán
Councilor

C. Alvarez
Conrado Alvarez
Councilor

A. Gonzales
Miss Antonia Gonzales
Councilor

L. Gana
Lorenzo Gana
Councilor

U. Ambás
Ubaldo Ambás
Councilor

Attested:

F. G. Beato
Francisco G. Beato
Secretary

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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES
PROVINCE OF LAGUNA
MUNICIPALITY OF BAYAN

Office of the Municipal Council

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL SESSION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAYAN, PROVINCE OF LAGUNA, HELD AT THE OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR ON APRIL 10, 1948.

- Present: Mr. Felix B. Morales - Mayor
- Mr. Marcelino Morales - Vice Mayor
- Atty. Mariano A. Morales - Councilor
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ABSENT: None

RESOLUTION NUMBERED

By unanimous consent, it was

RESOLVED: That the Municipal Council shall have jurisdiction over the business of the Municipality of Bayan, Laguna, in the immediate vicinity of the site of the proposed hospital for the relief and assistance of the residents of this Municipality in case of epidemics and other contagious diseases, and that the Municipal Council shall have jurisdiction over the business of the Municipality of Bayan, Laguna, in the immediate vicinity of the site of the proposed hospital for the relief and assistance of the residents of this Municipality in case of epidemics and other contagious diseases, and that the Municipal Council shall have jurisdiction over the business of the Municipality of Bayan, Laguna, in the immediate vicinity of the site of the proposed hospital for the relief and assistance of the residents of this Municipality in case of epidemics and other contagious diseases.

That a copy of this resolution be furnished to the COMMANDING OFFICERS of the medical Corps and the WAC, BAYAN, LAGUNA, this 10th day of April, 1948, The Commission of the Philippines.

[Signatures and official stamps of the Municipal Council members and Mayor]

Attested:

Francisco G. Hergo

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HEADQUARTERS
PHILIPPINE CIVIL AFFAIRS UNIT 2
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST

A.P.O. 442
9 April 1945

To the Hospital Staff
Binan, Laguna

May I take this opportunity to commend you as a group - and each of you individually, for your unequalled services to your people?

Voluntarily, motivated by kindness and unselfishness, you organized, began your duties, and performed them efficiently under very difficult circumstances.

Your excellent work will not be forgotten by the local townspeople and those you cared for when no one else could. Nor will your efforts be forgotten by PCAU-2. On the contrary we will always admire the Binan Hospital, its personnel, their diligence and initiative.

We, of PCAU, salute you.

Vigil B Ashcraft
VIGIL B. ASHCRAFT
Major, Infantry
Commanding.

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UNITED STATES PHILIPPINE ISLANDS FORCES
 THE HUNTERS OR ROTC GUERRILLAS
 48th Inf. Regt., 47th Division
 48th MEDICAL COMPANY
 BINAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL
 Biñan, Laguna

30 December 1945

R O S T E R

OFFICERS

Capt. Honorio C. Potenciano	.....	Regt. Surg. MC Ex USAFFE
1st. Lt. Domingo Potenciano	.....	Medical Officer
" " Antonio Gonzalez	.....	Medical Officer
" " Antonio Carrillo	.....	Medical Officer
" " Rustico Velasco	.....	Dental Officer
" " Cecilio A. Ama	.....	Medical Administrative Officer
" " Virgilio Gonzalez	.....	Medical Administrative Officer
" " Pablo Garcia	.....	Medical Administrative Officer
" " Ruben Vera Cruz	.....	Medical Administrative Officer
" " Melchor Ongjoco	.....	Medical Administrative Officer
CHpt. Felino Reyes	.....	MC Ex USAFFE (attached)
1st. Lt. Jose Lopez	.....	MC Ex USAFFE (attached)
" " Felimon Gamil	.....	MC Ex USAFFE (attached)

ENLISTED MEN

Sgt. Jose Alon	Pfc. Delfin de Dios
" Rosauro Ama	" Primo Dilag
" Jose Manzo	" Eliseo Sanches
" Jose Capunitan	" Lucido Manzo
" Evangelino Salandanan	" Donato Amoranto
Cpl. Melchor Bondoc	" Demetrio Bartolome
" Alfredo Potenciano	" Rodolfo Olivete
" Demetrio Gallo	" Eligio Ilim
" Spie Carrillo	" Jose Fernandez
Pfc. Francisco Capunitan	" Procorpio Gailing
" Gertrudo Miranda	" Pedro Javier
" Faustino Marcelo	

I certify that the above named officers and enlisted men are the bonifide members of the BINAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL under the 48th Medical Company, 48th Inf. Regt., 47th Division, HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS.

H. C. Potenciano

 HONORIO C. POTENCIANO
 Capt. MC, Commanding Officer
 48th Medical Company

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UNITED STATES PHILIPPINE ISLAND FORCES
 The HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS
 48th Inf. Regt., 47th Division
 48th Medical Company
 BINAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL
 Binan, Laguna

30 December 1945

ROSTER(Nursing Section)OFFICERS

Capt. Leticia Yaptinchay	.....	Executive Officer
1st Lt. Perla Guico	.....	Plans and Training Officer
" " Facita Capunitan	.....	Chief Nurse
2nd Lt. Concepcion Gonzalez	.....	Asst. Chief Nurse
" " Remedita Arcega	.....	Pharmacist
" " Fernanda Salandanan	.....	Pharmacist
" " Encarnacion Almada	.....	Pharmacist

Enlisted Women

T-Sgt. Rebecca de Leon	.....	Pfc. Marciana Almasan
S-Sgt. Consejo Velasco		" Luz Almalal
" Felicisima Concepcion		" Filat Dimaranan
" Maxima Cariño		" Lourdes Dimaranan
Sgt. Milagros Lim Ace		" Rosita Dimaranan
" Flora Mercado		" Fe Garcia
" Rosa Dimaranan		" Rafaela Gana
Cpl. Remedios Lopez		" Tomasa Gana
" Amelia Leyva		" Fe Yaptinchay
" Nieves Potenciano		" Generosa Almada
Pfc. Teodora Amador		" Guillerma Cariño
		" Esmeralda Arcangel

(Relief Section)Officers

Capt. Milagros A. German	.....	Executive Officer
1st Lt. Rosa Lim Ace	.....	Supply Officer
2nd Lt. Visitacion Alunos	.....	Chief Relief Officer
" " Leonor Alfonso	.....	Finance Officer
" " Leonor Alfonso	.....	Relief Officer

Enlisted Women

1st Sgt. Araceli Y atco		Pfc. Claudia Alonte
T-Sgt. Celixta Garcia		" Lily Amoranto
S-Sgt. Socorro Yatco		" Maria Viscarra
" Antonia Gonzalez		" Romana Zarraga
" Facita Casas		" Berarda Zarraga

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Sgt. Fructosa Concepcion
" Fernanda Almendral
" Leoncia Garcia
Cpl. Trinidad Manabat
" Patrocinio German
" Zenaida Laviña
"

Pfc. Celerina Zamora
" Zenaida Gomez
" Pilar Almenar
" Catalina Tan Gana
" Virginia Bayabo
" Rufina Deseo
" Imelda Villanueva

I certify that the above named officers and enlisted women of the WOMENS AUXILIARY CORP are bonifide members of the BIRAN EMERGENCY HOSPITAL under the 48th Medical Company, 48th Inf. Regt. , 47th Division, HUNTERS or ROTC GUERRILLAS.

H. C. Potenciano

HONORIO C. POTENCIANO
Capt. MC, Commanding Officer
48th Medical Company

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UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC

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FILE NO. SUBJECT: Contact of Guerrilla Unit

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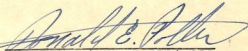
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(1) FROM: G-3 TO:
Lt Don E. Potter Capt. Murray

1. Attached hereto please find the records of the Medical and Wao Unit at Binan, Laguna.

2. This unit was under the command of Lt. Col T. Borja. I was unable to locate Col Borja, however I did locate and talk to Milagros A. German the executive officer of the unit. She is a lawyer here in Manila. I contacted her originally on approx. 29 May 46. She said that Borja worked somewhere here in Manila but she did not know where. However she said she would find out through mutual friends and let me know immediately so an investigation of the unit could be conducted. She did not call or write for over a week. About a week from the original contact date I was passing through Binan so I stopped to see her. She was not there but I left a written message with her husband to contact me as soon as possible. Nothing happened. Approx. 20 June 46 I sent Sgt. Sebastian Songsong to Binan to contact her and have her call me. She was not there but he did leave a message for her to call. Nothing Happened. When I got back from Palauan I again went to Binan and tried to contact her. She was not there but her husband gave me her address here in Manila. I went to see her in her office. She was not there so I left a message with her Sec. to call me immediately. That has been a week ago. She has made no attempt to contact me in any way.

3. It is apparent that they are not very interested in whether their unit is investigated by this office or not. In view of the fact that we have so many units to investigate I do not feel that it is fair to waste any more time on this unit now. I would like to suggest that this unit be placed back in the files and left there until all units that do show an active interest in what happens to them are investigated.


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