

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA

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File No.:

Subject:

From: C.P.

To: Col. Whitney

Date: 31 Jan 44

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CONFIRMATION OF MILITARY STATUS OF CAPTAIN THOMAS
W. JURIKA, CSM.

20 March 1944

FBS

AG, USAFFE
Thru: AG, GHQ

1. It is requested that confirmation be made of the military status of Capt. Thomas W. Jurika, O-590348, CSM, to which grade he was promoted for meritorious services April 9, 1942, by the Commanding General, USAFFE, Fort Mills, Corregidor, upon recommendation of officer's commanding officer, Col. John D. Cook, CSM, Cebu, Philippines. Officer discloses that due to enemy invasion of Cebu shortly after the confirmation of his promotion to captain had been received, it was not possible for copy of the orders to have reached him.

2. Officer was commissioned first lieutenant on the 19th February, 1942, and served in Cebu as operations officer of the Army Transport Service, and as such was directly connected with the unloading of cargo from the few vessels that were able to run the blockade from SWPA, and the transshipment and dispatch, both by surface vessels and submarines, of the only part of that cargo of food and ammunition able to reach the troops on Bataan and Corregidor. It was during this period that officer successfully salvaged and refloated the SS AN NUI which grounded near Cebu enroute from SWPA with cargo for the troops on Bataan, an exploit which is described in Clark Lee's book "They Call It Pacific". He was in charge of party which salvaged PT Boat 35 at Seit Cove, Negros, and brought it to Cebu for repairs. (It was for success on this latter mission that officer was recommended for promotion.)

3. Subsequent to the surrender of our forces, he joined the guerilla movement of the Tenth Military District where he has since served as one of the outstanding American officers. He has conducted several reconnaissance missions throughout Mindanao and the Visayas, and was successful in establishing the first radio position in northwest Samar overlooking the important San Bernardino Straits, which station is still in operation.

4. Officer arrived at this Hqs. 13 March, 1944, for the purpose of assisting FBS in correlating the movement of supplies to Philippines forces. His evacuation from the Philippines was contrary to his personal wishes in the matter.

5. Once Captain Jurika's military status has been clarified and confirmed it is anticipated that recommendation will be made to a much deserved promotion to the grade of Major in the AUS.



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(S.O. 103)

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By command of General MacARTHUR:



R. K. SUTHERLAND,
Lieutenant General, United States Army,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

L. S. Ostrander
L. S. OSTRANDER,
Brigadier General, U.S. Army,
Adjutant General.

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(Maj Bickel.....)	(3)	CO, Base "A".....	10
(CO, 583rd Sig AW Bn.....)	(1)	(CO, 47th Gen Hosp.....)	(1)
(Maj Combs.....)	(3)	(Capt Hensen.....)	(3)
(CO, Hq Sq Adv Ech Fifth Air Force.....)	(1)	(CO, 174th Sta Hosp.....)	(1)
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(CO, 49th Fighter Gp.....)	(1)	CO, Base "B".....	6
(2d Lt Linder.....)	(5)	(CO, 473rd QM Gp.....)	(1)
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(Capt Deal.....)	(3)	(CO, 210th CA Bn (AA)(AW).....)	(1)
(Capt Nussbaum.....)	(3)	(Capt Smith.....)	(3)
(CO, 102d CA Bn (AA)(AW).....)	(1)	(1st Lt Meyering.....)	(3)
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(Capt Whelan.....)	(3)		
CO, Base "D".....	6		
(CO, 117th Sta Hosp.....)	(1)		
(Capt Rolbin.....)	(3)		

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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST

SPECIAL ORDERS) A.P.O. 501
NO.....103) 12 April 1944
- E X T R A C T -

1. Announcement is made of the temp promotion of the following-named O to the gr indicated in the AUS with rank fr date of this order:

MAJ TO LT COL
IRA K. HEARN, Jr. 0352417 CE CLARENCE M. MOSS 0401502 CE

CAPT TO MAJ
ARTHUR H. BARRETT 0910316 CE HERMAN T. COMBS 0461745 MC
CARL S. BICKEL 0347474 MC

1ST LT TO CAPT
ROY F. ARMSTRONG 0888185 AGD JOHN A. McGRODER 0415672 CAC
DAVID L. BENSON 0327860 AGD PHILIP NUSSBAUM 01715662 DC
WILLIAM W. DEAL, Jr. 0343204 CAC JOSEPH C. PHILLIPS 0520027 Ch
JOHN W. DURGIN, Jr. 0396913 CAC HAROLD L. ROLBIN 0512932 MC
JOHN W. HESSEN, Jr. 0490564 Sn C CHARLES E. ROSEMEYER 01043479 CAC
THOMAS W. JURIKA 0890348 QMC FELIX J. SMITH 0339268 CAC
MARTIN J. KILLOREN 01697730 DC WILLIAM J. WHELAN 01549173 Ord Dept

2D LT TO 1ST LT
KARL H. KAEHLER 01052835 CAC JACK W. MULLIN 0410645 CAC
JOHN R. MEYERING, Jr. 01040271 CAC

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2. DP announcement is made of the temp apmt of the following-named F/O as 2D LTS AUS with rank fr 12 Apr 1944 and asgd to AC. Each officer asgd serial number as indicated, is ordered to AD this date and asgd to Fifth Air Force:

NAME	ASN	ORGANIZATION	O SERIAL NO ASGD
LOUIS GARTH FEDERLEIN	T-60500	Hq Sq Adv Ech Fifth Air Force	0888894
WALTER JAY LINDER	T-120806	49th Fighter Gp	0888895

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3. DP and under provisions AR 605-145, following-named O, FA, are detailed in Inf.

CAPT HARRY T. BURNELL 01168195
1ST LT RICHARD T. MILLER 01174651

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DETACHMENT OF PATIENTS
42ND GENERAL HOSPITAL
A. P. O. 923

14 April, 1944

SUBJECT: Admission of patients to hospital.

TO : The Commanding General, GHQ, APO 500, c/o Dept Allied Intelligence Dept.

1. The following named members of your organization were admitted to this hospital

NAME	RANK	ASN
JURIKA, THOMAS W.	CAPT.	O-890348

2. In accordance with paragraph 2a, USASOS Regulation 50-25, dated 5 September 1943 the above named Officers will be carried as attached to the Detachment of Patients this hospital.

3. Any subsequent change in status of Officers named above will be furnished in compliance with paragraph 3, regulation referred to above.

For the Commanding Officer:

E. J. Flaherty
E. J. FLAHERTY
WOJ3, USA
Asst Adjutant



FBS

AG, USAFFE
Three AG, GSC

17 April 1964

1. Request that the following named officer be assigned to the Miscellaneous group, USAFFE, for duty with this Section:

Captain Thomas W. JURIKA, O-890348, GSC

2. This officer was evacuated from the Philippines for the express purpose of the assignment indicated, for duty in connection with supply activities for which this Section is responsible.

C.W.



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UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

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FEKO

AFPO 501
19 Apr, 1944

FEKO 201-Jurika, Thomas W.

SUBJECT: Orders.

TO : CAPT THOMAS W. JURIKA 0890348 OMC, 42nd Gen Hesp, APO 923.

Above-named O, new pnt 42nd Gen Hesp, asgd Misc Gp USAFFE and placed on dy with AIB. WP upon release fr hesp. TCRT YDR. Travel by Govt meter T authorized. It being impracticable to subsist with troops or at an officers mess, per diem \$2.25 and billets authorized date of arrival. 91-2 PA31-02 A 212/40425. 91-2 PA10-01 A 212/40102.

By command of General MacARTHUR:

CHAS W. GLEGG
Lt Col AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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- CO 42nd Gen Hesp
- Director, AIB
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HEADQUARTERS
AND GENERAL HOSPITAL
A. P. O. 923

GHY/EGS/abd

4 May 1944.

SPECIAL ORDERS)
NUMBER.....120)

EXTRACT

1. Pursuant to auth contained in 1st Ed, file BSUX 705, Hq BS 3 APO 923, dtd 5 Feb '44, the following named pats, read atchd, Det of Pats, this heep and WP to parent orgn reporting to CO for dy. Govt notor T will be furn.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>AIR</u>	<u>BRANCH</u>	<u>PARENT ORGN</u>
Capt	THOMAS W JURINA	0890348	GE	GHQ SGA APO 500
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By order of Colonel YEAGER:

E. J. FLAHERTY
CWO, USA
Ass't Adjutant

OFFICIAL:

E. J. FLAHERTY,
CWO, USA
Ass't Adjutant

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42ND GENERAL HOSPITAL

A. P. O. 929

4 May

1944

SUBJECT: Status and condition of patient on return to duty.
TO: **CO, 6888, USA, APO 9500.**

1. In compliance with paragraph 7 b (3) AR 40-590, the following information is furnished:

- a. Name: **JURKA, Thomas W., Capt, G-970348, CH.**
- b. Date admitted: **13 April 1944.**
- c. Date of return to duty: **4 May 1944.**
- d. Diagnosis: **Amoebiasis, intestinal, mild. Cysts of E. Histolytica demonstrated in stool April 14/44 and April 16/44.**
- e. Line of duty: **Yes**
- f. Disease/Injury was/was not the result of the patient's own misconduct.
- g. Further treatment is not indicated and patient is ready for full duty.



J. D. BULL,

1st Lt. MC.,

Registrar.

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OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

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19 Apr, 1944

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By command of General MacARTHUR:

CHAS W. CLEGG
Lt Col AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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201- JURIKA, Thomas W. (O) 2nd Wrapper Ind. RJV/ab
Headquarters, 42nd General Hospital, APO 923, 8 May 1944.

TO: Commanding General, USAFFE, APO 901.

1. Returned, subject officer was released from Hospital 4 May 1944.

For the Commanding Officer:

1 Incl: n/c

E. J. FLAHERTY
C.W.O., USA
Asst Adjutant.



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FEXO 201-Jurika, Thomas W. Wrapper Ind.
HQ, UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST, APO 501, 20 April, 1944.

TO: Commanding Officer, 42nd General Hospital, APO 923.

Inclosed are copies of Letter Orders FEXO 908, cs, this headquarters, assigning Captain Thomas W. Jurika, 0890348, QMC, to Miscellaneous Group, USAFFE, for delivery to officer concerned.

By command of General MacARTHUR:

Chas W. Clegg
CHAS W. CLEGG
Lt Col AGD
Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl: As identified above.

201- JURIKA, Thomas W. (O) 2nd Wrapper Ind. EJJ/mb
Headquarters, 42nd General Hospital, APO 923, 8 May 1944.

TO: Commanding General, USAFFE, APO 501.

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For the Commanding Officer:

E. J. Flaherty
E. J. FLAHERTY
C.W.O., USA
Asst Adjutant.

1 Incl: n/c



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42ND GENERAL HOSPITAL
A. P. O. 923

GHY/BOG/cbd

4 May 1944.

SPECIAL ORDERS)
NUMBER.....120)

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RANK	NAME	ASN	BRANCH	PARENT CODE
Capt	THOMAS W JURIKA	0890548	GH	GHQ SIFA APO 500
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By order of Colonel FRAGER:

E. J. FLAHERTY
CWO, USA
Ass't Adjutant

OFFICIAL:

E. J. FLAHERTY,
CWO, USA
Ass't Adjutant

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AG, USAFFE

20 May 1944

1. It is requested that the necessary travel orders be issued on Captain Thomas W. JURIKA, 0890312, GS, directing him to proceed from Brisbane to Bernin on or about May 23 on temporary duty for the purpose of carrying out instructions, upon completion of which to return to this station.

2. Travel by military aircraft if available otherwise commercial aircraft, Govt motor T and rail should be authorized. Military transportation outgoing 2012 has been arranged.

C.N.



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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

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APO 501
21 May, 1944

FEKO 201-Jurika, Thomas W.

SUBJECT: Orders.

TO : CAPT THOMAS W. JURIKA 0890348 OMC, Allied Intelligence Bureau,
APO 500.

1. CG directs necessary mil serv above-named OWP at proper time fr Brisbane Qld to Darwin ~~Qld~~ on temp dy purpose carrying out instructions. Completion temp dy return proper sta.

2. TCNT TDN. Travel by mil or commercial aircraft (par 3b, AR 55-120) is directed for accomplishment of BDM. Rail or Govt motor T authorized, if necessary. Personal baggage not to exceed 50 pounds authorized while traveling by air.

3. In lieu of subs flat per diem \$6.00 authorized while traveling and temp dy if Govt billets or shelter not provided and messing facilities not furn; or in lieu of subs flat per diem \$2.25 authorized if Govt billets or shelter provided but messing facilities not available. During period both Govt billets or shelter provided and messing facilities furn per diem alws is susp. 91-2 P432-02 03 A 212/43425.

C. J. ENGLE,
Major, A. C. D.,
Ass't Adjutant General.

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C. J. ENGLE,
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Ass't Adjutant General.

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8 July 1944

TO : LT STRICKLAND

FROM: CAPT JURIKA

NR :

FIVE DIESEL ENGINES CONSIGNED AIB MARKED ROGER TWO
DASH THREE ZERO ZERO CMA ROGER TWO DASH THREE ZERO ONE
CMA ROGER TWO DASH THREE ZERO THREE CMA ROGER TWO DASH THREE
ZERO FOUR CMA ROGER TWO DASH THREE ZERO FIVE PD SPIRO AND
HAGANS HANDLED DIESELS CMA I NEVER SAW THEM PD SHALL
CERTAINLY HANDLE EVERYTHING REPEAT EVERYTHING MYSELF
PERSONALLY IN FUTURE AS THEN I ALONE WILL BE RESPONSIBLE
AND WILL ONLY HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT MY OWN MISTAKES PD WILL
START TRACING LOSS FROM THIS END REGARDS

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HEADQUARTER'S BASE THREE
UNITED STATES ARMY SERVICES OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL

DOCKET NO. **29499**

A.P.O. 923
Date:- **28 July 1944**

SUBJECT: Report of Delinquency.

TO : **Commanding Officer, A.I.S., APO334.**

1. The individual reported herein has committed an offence which came to the notice of the Military Police. Details are indicated below:

Name and Serial Number: **JUKKA, Thomas W.O-670348**

Rank: **Capt.** Organisation: **Sectional Off.** Time: **1430 hrs.**

Date of arrest: **27.7.44** Place of arrest: **S. Brisbane R.F. Sta.**

Brief statement of facts concerning the offense:

**Involved in accident, Vehicle #27252.
Accident at Anst Boundary Sta on 26 July 1944, at 0830 A.M.**

Witness:

Arrested by: **T/S Edward J. Fritwell 93790365, Hqs.
Det. 799 M.P.**

Disposition: **Not held.**

2. Request acknowledgment of receipt and advice of punishment by indorsement hereon.

ROY A. SYKES,
Capt., C.M.P.,
Provost Marshal.

TO;

1st Ind.

Date _____

1. Receipt acknowledged.
2. Specific punishment imposed.

Form P.M.3



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09 AUGUST 1944

TO : CAPT JURIKA
FROM : LT STRICKLAND
NR 1 09 AUGUST

VALERA SHIPMENT:

CUBE 160, WEIGHT 5780. ADVISE PERSONNEL SEBREGATE.
PERSONAL GEAR IN ORDER TO LEAVE BARRACKS BAGS AT WAREHOUSE.

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16 AUGUST 1944

TO : CAPT JURIKA
FROM : COMDR PARSONS
NR 3 16 AUGUST

DID VESSEL SAIL FROM SOUTH TO WOENDE? WHEN WILL ORION SAIL? STRICKLAND HAS BEEN ADVISED TO PREPARE STANDARD SHIPMENT ON SHARPS VESSEL FOR PA AND TO EXPECT ADVICE FROM YOU AS TO WHAT ITEM ARE TO BE MARKED CR. ALSO TO PREPARE STANDARD SHIPMENT FOR RETURN OF LOOMIS TO CG. ALSO THAT NEXT TITUS TRIP WILL BE MOSTLY PARTY SUPPLIES TO FG-M (FOR MCGEE) AND FG-C (FOR CHILDRESS) ANY CHANGES INDICATED BY COLONEL WHITNEY SHOULD BE ADVISED TO STRICKLAND IMMEDIATELY.

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20 AUGUST 1944

TO : CAPT. JURIKA (INFO COPY COL. WHITNEY)
FROM : CMDR. PARSONS

NR 4 19 AUGUST

ADVISE COMMANDER LYNCH BY HAND ETD TITUS 0800K 21ST
DELAY ONE DAY CAPTAIN'S DECISION TO PERMIT INDOCTRINATION
NEW COMMUNICATOR WHO JOINED SHIP TODAY. ALL CARGO WILL BE
ABOARD BY 0600 20TH. ETA SPOT ONE 01 SEPT. SPOT TWO 03 SEPT.
ASTER APPROXIMATELY 13TH. ADVISE LAPHAM AND ANDERSON
CORRECTED ETA.

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22 AUGUST 1944

TO : CAPTAIN JURIKA
FROM : LIEUTENANT STRICKLAND

NR 5 22 AUGUST

REQUEST YOU CONTACT CHIEF ORDNANCE AND HAVE HIM ADVISE
C. O. 1955 ORDNANCE DEPOT HERE IMMEDIATELY THAT 3,000,000
CARBINE AMMUNITION IF FOR ME.

TIME TYPED: 220347/Z

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TO : CAPT JURIKA
FROM : COLONEL WHITNEY
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NO NIP CURRENCY FOR GUSHING OR PERALTA PD EASY TARE ABLE SHARP
STILL TWO SEPTEMBER PD ^{NA SIX EIGHT PD} TITUS CLEARED SPOT ONE THIRTY AUGUST PD REDFIN
SUCCESSFULLY EVACUATED NAVY SURVIVORS AND NINE CIVILIANS FROM PALAWAN PD
EASY TARE ABLE DARWIN APPROXIMATELY FIFTH PD PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS
FOR RECEPTION THERE AND TRANSPORTATION HERE PD STARTS C-W

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31 SEPTEMBER 1944

TO : COLONEL WHITNEY

FROM : CAPTAIN JURIKA

NR 8 31 AUGUST

INCLUDED IN PARSONS LIST FOR SHIPMENT TO CUSHING AND PERALTA IS NIP CURRENCY. AVAILABLE HERE BUT PLEASE WIRE AUTHORITY FOR SHIPPING SAME AND HOW MUCH. PLEASE CHECK WITH BURNS AND ADVISE ME ESTIMATED TIME OF ARRIVAL SHARPE, UNDERSTAND HERE ONE DAY DELAY.

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TO : LIEUT. STRICKLAND (FOR CAPT JURIKA)
FROM : COLONEL WHITNEY
NR :

TORRES ADVISES QUOTE HAVING TROUBLE WITH MEI SET AND OTHERS PD CAUSE
DUE TO IMPROPER HANDLING OF CARGO BEFORE DEPARTURE CMA MANY ITEMS OF
EQUIPMENT MISSING DUE TO CARGO MIXUP IN SUB UNQUOTE DO NOT LOOK UPON THIS
AS SERIOUS AS TORRES AND CABANGBANG ARE CLOSE ENOUGH TO READJUST EQUIPMENT
BUT IT DOES SUGGEST NEED FOR EXTRA CARE IN THE STOWING OF CARGO FOR THE
THREE SPOTS ON SHARPS COMING VOYAGE
PARA RE YOUR MESSAGE
CROWLEY'S VESSEL WAS FLIER WITH EIGHT SURVIVORS PD NAVY WILL SEND PERSONNEL
TO WEST COAST CMA NINE CIVILIAN EVACUEES TO BE BROUGHT HERE PD SHARP HAS
TAKEN ABEL NOW FOUR SEPTEMBER



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04 SEPTEMBER 1944

TO : COLONEL WHITNEY
FROM : CAPTAIN JURIKA
NR 11 04 SEPTEMBER

DUE TO PORT FACILITIES DISPOSITION HERE URGENT COMMANDER
SMITH BE ADVISED ETA HOUR AND DATE REDFIN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
PLEASE ADVISE ME PLANS IF ANY FOR STINGRAY

Action taken

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04 SEPT 1944

TO : LT KINZLER
FROM : CAPT JURIKA
NR 10 05 SEPT

PLEASE DRAW MY LIQUID RATION AT GHQ PX FOR SEPTEMBER.
REQUISITION SIX EACH 50 ROUND DRUM MAGS FOR 50M-1928 TOMMY
GUNS, AND PACK FOR PLANE SHIPMENT HERE BY 15TH.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTHWEST PACIFIC AREA
A.P.O. 500

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5 September 1944
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TO : CAPTAIN JURIKA
FROM : COLONEL WHITNEY
NR : 74

PAREN NR SEVEN FOUR PAREN

STINGRAY WILL BE EMPLOYED NEXT VOYAGE BY ABLE ITEM BAKER FOR
AIR FORCES PD BEGINS

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Sunday--Sept. 24--1944

Capt. T. W. Jurika--

Dear Mr. Tom,

In a mythical way I have known you since April 1943, when a Mrs. Brown returned to England from Cebu and wrote me that our beloved son Albert Kitchen had been killed while serving aboard the S.S. Mayan. It was the first word we had had in fourteen months and came as a great surprise and sorrow to us. She mentioned if we ever met you, that you could tell us what dangerous work the demolition division was. We went on trying to make ourselves think there was some mistake and that Al was fortunate enough perhaps to be still on an island with the natives. Mr. Kitchen grieved so that he passed away this last July 13th and only yesterday Russel Forsythe came to see me and repeated Mrs. Brown's statement that Al was gone forever. I have kept up all these months since his last cable Feb-42 and will have to keep going as I know he would want me to. I have written hundreds of letters to anyone I thought might have some message and only today was lucky in talking to Mrs. Allison Forbes and mentioned your name, ~~and she gave me your address.~~ There is a group of mothers and wives of the men in the Philippines who exchange messages and in this way I met Mrs. Forbes.

We have been most unfortunate in never really knowing what division of service Al was in and at Washington, D.C. they have no record of him at all, and all we had to tell them was quote Al's cable "I am in service as an officer." and without a serial number they would do nothing. Many things are tied up and one of them is interest checks on Gov't. bonds that were in Al's and Mrs. Kitchen's name and we can't even cash them without both death notices and the original or a certified photostatic copy of the official letter from the War Dept. reporting Al's death. Would you be willing to sign an affidavit, as Mrs. Forsyth is going to do stating you know of Al's death? I am so happy for you that a way was made possible for your release from the islands and hope that soon you can be back in dear old U.S.A.

We read with great interest the progress being made in the South Pacific and hope before long the great silence of the islands will be lifted and as many as possible of the loved ones return. If Chief Muself is will you please give him my regards and hope that he soon will be well enough to come home. Al's death is a very great sorrow to us as he was such a sound fellow, but I am very fortunate in having another son also daughter to help me through the life ahead. This Mrs. Brown is the wife of the British Vice Counsel of Davao, P.I. and returned on the first Gripshelm but it was months after the end that I had any message. We feel very grateful to her and I would like to help others as she has done. Would it be asking too much to ask for information of Maj. John Miner or Bill O'Brism both on Gen. Sharp's staff? If you can't answer I'll accept your silence and understand your position.

May God guard you safely in the future as he has in the past and I wish you the best of luck.

1385 So. Harvard Blvd.
Los Angeles, 6, Calif.

C O P Y

Very sincerely,
Helena S. Kitchen (Mrs. John F.)

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Report on Death of Captain Albert Kitchen

Capt. T. W. Jurika

Col. G. Whitney

11 October 1944

1. In accordance with the attached request from Mrs. E. S. Kitchen, 1525 South Harvard Blvd., Los Angeles, 6, Calif., I am submitting a statement covering the circumstances of the status, death and burial of her son, Captain Albert Kitchen, in the Philippines.

2. Albert Kitchen was in Cebu, Philippines at the outbreak of war, and immediately volunteered his services to the Army. He was attached to a demolition squad in civilian capacity. Application was made by Col. John C. Cook, commanding the Cebu Advance Quartermaster Depot, to the Commanding General on Corregidor for commissions for several of us. In February the commissions were approved, and Kitchen was advised about February 24th that he had been commissioned a Captain. At that time he had been transferred from the demolition squad to the position of U.S. Army Transport Service officer in charge on the S. S. MAYON. It was by mere chance that I did not hold that position myself, as it had been assigned to me, but on the morning of the assignment I was out on a demolition job and Kitchen was assigned to take my place a few minutes before the vessel left Cebu for an anchorage in Mindanao. I proceeded to Mindanao to relieve him on the Mayon, but received orders on the 24th of February that Captain Kitchen was to remain on the Mayon and I was to return to Cebu. On the 26th of February, at about 1430, the Japanese made a concentrated air attack on all shipping along the Mindanao coast, bombing and sinking the vessel on which I was waiting to return to Cebu. Two planes attacked the Mayon at anchor in Macapit Harbor, Agusan Province, scoring two direct hits and several misses. The vessel burned for two days, with the loss of eleven lives. The charred bodies of all eleven were recovered, Captain Kitchen's body being identified by the number of the automatic pistol he was wearing. He was buried with military honors in the cemetery at Butuan, Agusan Province. As Army Transport Service Operations Officer in Mindanao, I made a full report on the matter which I submitted to U.S.A.F.S. Headquarters in Cebu, when I returned to that port with the survivors.

3. It is requested that official notification of his death be made to his mother, through War Department channels.

T. W. J.



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THRU AL, WASTE

22 October 1944

For appropriate action.

S.J.G.



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16 OCTOBER 44

TO : CAPTAIN JURIKA

FROM : LT. KINZLER

NR 38 16 OCTOBER

ORDERS RECEIVED. 39 PIECES, WEIGHT 2507 POUNDS ACCOMPANIED BY KINZLER AND STRICKLAND DEPARTING ATC TRIP 6-17. ETD 0100 HOURS, 17 OCTOBER.

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22 OCTOBER 1944

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TO : CAPTAIN JURIKA

FROM : SPIRO

NR 48 21 OCTOBER

REQUEST CLARIFICATION MESSAGE NR 29.
IMPOSSIBLE TO ACERTAIN WEIGHT AND CUBES OF
UNPACKED EQUIPMENT. SUGGESTED PLAN BEING FORMULATED
HERE TO MOVE SIG SUPPLY TO LAE OR FINCH UNTIL SUPPLY
IS MOVED TO PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. APPRECIATE INFORMATION
AS TO FUTURE ACTION FOR PACKING, REQUISITIONING, ETC.

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22 OCTOBER 44.

TO : CAPTAIN JURIKA
FROM : LIEUTENANT SPIRO

NR 49 22 OCTOBER

MUST STILL DEPEND ON AUSTRALIAN SECURED AND SRD RADIOS
IF PSS SIGNAL SUPPLY STILL EXISTS. NEW SIGNAL SUPPLY ORGAN-
IZATION FOR AIB AND PSS CALLS FOR FORWARD ECHELON AT LAE.
NO U. S. SIGNAL EQUIPMENT IS ANTICIPATED FROM STATES FOR PSS
UNTIL MIDDLE DECEMBER.

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[Signature]
G-4 TWJ-omm
(Office)

22 October 1944
(Date)

TO : LT SPIRO
FROM: CAPT JURIKA
NR : 38

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RE YOUR NR FOUR EIGHT AND OUR NR TWO NINE CMA MAY BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR YOU TO ASCERTAIN BUT NOT IMPOSSIBLE TO ESTIMATE REPEAT ESTIMATE WEIGHT AND CUBE PD ASSUME YOU CAN BASE FIGURES ON EQUIPMENT YOU PACKED CMA WEIGHED CMA AND MEASURED BEFORE PD PLAN DECIDED ON HERE TO BE READY TO MOVE OUR SUPPLIES FROM BRISBANE TO PHILIPPINES WITHIN THREE WEEKS

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REPER JERINA ARRANGEMENTS AND BASE IN A NO INSTRUCTIONS
RECEIVED CONSEQUENTLY PATIENTS DEPARTED HERE OUT 15

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G-4 *THJ/PPV*
(Office)

No. _____

23 OCTOBER 1944
(Date)

TO : COL. ROBERTS
FROM: CAPT. JURIKA
NR 41

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PLEASE REQUEST IMMEDIATE COMPLIANCE BY LT SPIRO OUR MESSAGES
NR TWO NINE CMA THREE FIVE AND THREE EIGHT PD HIS REPLIES DO NOT
INDICATE HE IS TAKING NECESSARY ACTION PD

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25 OCTOBER 1944

TO : CAPTAIN JURIKA
FROM : SERGEANT BROWN

NR 58 27 OCTOBER

PLEASE ADVISE ADDRESS OF LT. LEE A. STRICKLAND, AND
ANY OTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING SITUATION HERE. URGENTLY
NEED SHIPPING DESIGNATOR IN ORDER TO MARK CRATES.

TOR : 271235/Z
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28 OCTOBER 1944

TO : CAPTAIN JURIKA
FROM : COLONEL ROBERTS

NR 57 27 OCTOBER

REFERENCE YOUR MESSAGE NUMBER 41, HAVE DESPATCHED TWO SIGNALS TO COLONEL SILVERMAN 25 OCTOBER AND 27 OCTOBER IN WHICH IT IS REQUESTED YOU BE ADVISED. SUGGEST YOU OBTAIN COPIES OF MESSAGES. LIEUTENANT SPIRO ANTICIPATING REPLY TO ALL QUESTIONS ASKED IN ALL MESSAGES.

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(Office)

31 OCTOBER 1944
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TO : COL. ROBERTS
FROM : CAPT. JURIZA
NR : *50*

REFERENCE YOUR NR FIVE SEVEN HAVE TRANSMITTED TO LT SPIRO ALL
REQUIRED INFORMATION PD THANKS AND APPRECIATE YOUR EFFORT TO HELP US
OUT OF OUR DIFFICULTIES PD

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(Office)

No. _____

7 November 1944
(Date)

TO : COL. ROBERTS (INFO CAPT GLENN)
FROM : CAPTAIN JURIKA
NR : **67**

HEADQUARTERS USASOS INQUIRES AS TO WHERE YOU WANT DELIVERY OF
FIRST SUPPLIES ON YOUR NINETEEN FORTY FIVE ESTIMATED BILL OF REQUIREMENTS
PD THEY SAY URGENT PD CAN REPLY THRU ME PD

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THE STATUS - CASH WAR SAVINGS BOND ORDERS

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK OR STATUS</u>	<u>HOW OBTAINED</u>	<u>AMOUNT OR PROCE- DURE</u>
1. Robert V Nowler	Lt-Col, Inf AOE	By Allotment Cl B	\$37.50 Allot Plan 5 \$50.00 Bond
2. Samuel J Wilson	Lt-Col, GSC USFIP	By allotment	Plan 7 \$75.00 Allot \$100.00 Bond
		By purchase	\$306.25
3. Calixto de Leon	Lt-Col, PS USFIP	By purchase	\$75.00
4. Jesus J Montalvan	Capt, Inf USFIP (Reverted to civ Status)	By purchase	\$112.50
5. Russel H Smith	1st Lt, Inf USFIP	By Allotment Cl B	Plan 7 \$75.00 Allot \$100.00 Bond
		By purchase	\$525.00
		By purchase	\$ 75.00
6. Lincoln DeFron	1st Lt, Sig C USFIP	By Allotment Cl B	Plan 5 \$37.50 Allot \$50.00 Bond
7. Lowell G Holder	1st Lt, Inf USFIP	By purchase	\$150.00
8. Robert M Crump	1st Lt, Inf USFIP	By purchase	\$575.00
9. Santiago G Non	1st Lt, PS USFIP	By purchase	\$37.50
10. Vicente H Nery	3d Lt, Sig C USFIP	By purchase	\$75.00
		By purchase	\$75.00
11. Jose Stuart del Rosario	3d Lt, Inf USFIP	By purchase	\$75.00
12. Frank McCarthy	civilian	By purchase	\$1,125.00
13. Mrs. Lucy Spielman	civilian	By purchase	\$262.50

WAR BONDS of following-named below are com-
plete in the Force Finance Office, Tenth MD:

1. Thomas Gurika	Capt, GSC USFIP
2. Alma B Mills	1st Lt, Sig C USFIP
3. Bill Ballenbach	Pvt, USAC



UNITED STATES FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES
HEADQUARTERS TENTH MILITARY DISTRICT
Office of the Commanding Officer

1 December, 1943

Subject: Cash War Savings Bond

To : C-10-3 (Act: War Bond Officer, HQ USAFIP,
APO 501)

1. Herewith are submitted cash war savings bond order forms duly accomplished. In order to avoid any irregularities in this matter, the signature of the receipting officer shall be my own, or that of Major Galixto de Leon, Force Finance Officer, Tenth Military District.

2. According to arrangements made, this money will be deposited with the Force Finance Officer and held by him, only the war bond form being forwarded to your office. It is reported that these arrangements were completed at the time the forms were sent to this HQ.

(SGM) WENDELL W. FURTH,
Colonel, AUS,
Commanding.

Certified a True Copy

6 December 1944

San Juan I. Cayton
SAN JUAN I. CAYTON
2d Lt, Inf,
On Duty AUS Tenth MD



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Colonel, US,
Commanding.

Certified a True Copy

6 December 1944

Santiago L. Cayton
SANTIAGO L. CAYTON
2d Lt, Inf,
on Duty AGS Tenth MD



UNITED STATES FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES
HEADQUARTERS TENTH MILITARY DISTRICT
C P Z

6 December 1944.

Subject: War Bond Orders

To : C-in-C, SWPA (Att: War Bond Officer)

Request this Hq be informed of what action was taken on our letter dated 1 Dec 1943 covering Cash War Savings Bonds. A certified true copy of same letter is attached, wherein will be noticed that the war savings bond order forms duly accomplished had been submitted therewith.

Wendell W. Fertig
WENDELL W. FERTIG,
Colonel, US,
Commanding.

M.A.F. RESEAU 4007



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INSTRUCTIONS.

1. *Strike out inappropriate words. Form, when submitted, must be accurate and complete.
2. Every individual whose name appears on form must be further identified by one of the following titles: Mrs., Mr., Miss, Grade.
3. If there are TWO given names the initial of ONE may be used.
4. Co-owner or beneficiary is not necessary, but if desired, ONE, NOT BOTH, may be named. If a CO-OWNER is designated EITHER CO-OWNER may redeem the bond without the signature of the other. If a BENEFICIARY is designated the bond can be redeemed ONLY by the owner during his lifetime, and by the Beneficiary only if he survives the owner. Given name of husband may not be used in designating Co-owner or Beneficiary, e.g., Mrs. Mary—not Mrs. John.
5. The Treasury Department will (1) mail bonds to an address within the 48 States of the Union, the District of Columbia, Alaska, Panama, Puerto Rico and Hawaii ONLY, or will (2) hold bonds in safekeeping at no expense to the purchaser and will issue receipt therefor. Bonds purchased by personnel serving outside the continental limits of the United States should not be delivered to the purchaser prior to return to the United States.
6. Forms will be completed in triplicate for each purchaser, and together with the purchase price of the bond will be transmitted to a designated officer who will receipt the triplicate copy and return it to the purchaser. The designated officer will receive from the local disbursing officer, in exchange for the cash collected, a check payable to the Treasurer of the United States. This check, together with the original forms, will be forwarded to the Treasurer of the United States with letter of transmittal in triplicate, listing names of purchases and amounts of individual purchases through the War Bond Division, Headquarters USAFFE, APO 501. The duplicate forms will be retained in the files of The War Bond Division, Headquarters, USAFFE, APO 501.
7. Fill in address line for Mailing of Receipt for War Bonds ONLY when bonds are to be held in Treasury.
8. It will be noted that the use of this form permits registering of bonds, either in the name of the purchaser or in the name of any other person desired by the purchaser; further, it permits the holding of the bonds in the Treasury with the receipt therefor, being sent to any individual other than the purchaser, or to the purchaser at an address in the United States or to his military address.

[Over]

Date:
31st December, 1943

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CERTIFIED TRUE COPY: /s/ Thomas W. Jurika
 THOMAS W. JURIKA
 (See Instructions on Reverse)



CASH WAR SAVINGS BOND ORDER FORM.
 (For use under previous W.D. Circular No. 252, 1942)

TREASURER OF THE UNITED STATES, WASHINGTON, D.C.

Please supply Series E War Savings Bonds as follows, purchase price of which is included in consolidated remittance herewith:

Number	Maturity Value	Issue Price	Value in Pounds and U.S. Currency			
			£	s.	d.	
_____	\$ 25.00	18.75				\$ _____
_____	50.00	37.50				\$ _____
_____	100.00	75.00				\$ _____
1	500.00	375.00				\$ 375.00
1	1,200.00	750.00				\$ 750.00
Total Remittance £						\$ 1125.00

JURIKA THOMAS W 0-890348
 (Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial) (Army Serial No.)
Captain QMC 19 February, 1942
 (Grade) (Company, regiment or unit or service) (Date of enlistment, induction, or call to active duty)

REGISTER BONDS in my name at Luzon Stevedoring Company Manila Philippine Islands
 or (Street and Number) (City) (State)

REGISTER BONDS in the following name:
 *Mrs. _____ (Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial)
 *Mr. _____ (Street and Number) (City) (State)
 *Miss _____ (Street and Number) (City) (State)

MAIL Bonds to *Mrs. _____ (Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial)
 *Mr. _____ (Street and Number) (City) (State)
 *Miss _____ (Street and Number) (City) (State)

HOLD Bonds in Treasury and send receipt therefor to Capt JURIKA THOMAS W
 (Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial)
c/o Col. E. M GRIMM Brisbane Australia
 (Street and Number) (City) (State)

Let my WIFE JURIKA BLANCHE W
 BENEFICIARY (Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial)
 At Luzon Stevedoring Company Manila Philippine Islands
 (Street and Number) (City) (State)

I (SELLER OR HIS HEIR) previously purchased Bonds
A.I.B. GHQ APO 500 January 24 1944 S/T.W. JURIKA
 (Date) (Signature of Purchaser)

Received \$ _____ Payment above order S/ CALIXTO DE LEON (Signature of Purchaser)
T/ CALIXTO DE LEON (Signature of Inspecting Officer) [Over]
 Major PS
 Force Finance Officer
 USFIP - 10th MD
 TRUE COPY: D. F. LEGERA, Captain, F.D.

HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
OFFICE OF THE FISCAL DIRECTOR, USAFFE
SPECIAL FINANCIAL SERVICE BRANCH

APC 925,
6 December 1944.

SUBJECT: War Bond Purchase.

TO : Commanding Officer, G-3, GHQ, APO 500.

1. Attention invited to attached true copy of Cash War Savings Bond Order Form receipted by Calixto De Leon, Major, your command, to Captain Thomas W. Jurika, O-890348, Misc. Group, USAFFE, APO 501.

2. Captain Jurika has made inquiry concerning disposition of funds stating that receipts for the bonds purchased have not been received from the Treasury Department.

3. Treasury Department states there is no record of transactions.

4. Request Major De Leon be queried as to what disposition was made of subject funds. If bonds were purchased, request this office be advised medium through which such purchase was made. Further request that this office be advised as to the name of disbursing officer, or War Bond officer, receipting to Major De Leon for the funds involved.

For the Fiscal Director, USAFFE:

D. F. LEFERRA,
Captain, P. D.,
Chief, Sp. Fin. Serv. Br.

1 Incl.
True Copy W.B. Form No. 1 - SWPA.



HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
OFFICE OF THE FISCAL DIRECTOR, USAFFE
SPECIAL FINANCIAL SERVICE BRANCH

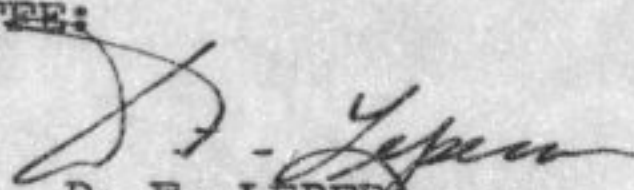
APO 923,
6 December 1944.

SUBJECT: War Bond Purchase.

TO : Commanding Officer, G-3, GHQ, APO 500.

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For the Fiscal Director, USAFFE:


D. F. LEPERA,
Captain, F. D.,
Chief, Sp. Fin. Serv. Br.

1 Incl.
True Copy W.B. Form No. 1 - SWPA.



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TWJ/LAT/ewm
(Office)

22 January 1945
(Date)

(Sig. Corps No.)

TO : ~~GHQ ADVANCE SECTION~~ *ferguson*
 FROM: GHQ SWPA
 NR : *18*

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PAREN MAJOR JURIKA TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL DIXON PAREN BASE GEORGE
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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
OFFICE OF THE FISCAL DIRECTOR, USAFFE
SPECIAL FINANCIAL SERVICE BRANCH

APO #923
6 Dec 1944

SUBJECT : War Bond Purchase

TO : CO G-3, GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, APO 500.

1. Atn invited to attached true copy of Cash War Savings Bond Order Form receipted by Calixto De Leon, Major, your command, to Captain Thomas W. Jurika, O-890348, Misc. Gp USAFFE APO 501.

2. Capt Jurika has made inquiry concerning disposition of funds stating that receipts for the bonds purchased have not been received from the Treasury Department.

3. Treasury Dept states there is no record of transactions.

4. Request Major De Leon be queried as to what disposition was made of subject funds. If bonds were purchased, request this Office be advised medium through which such purchase was made. Further request that this Office be advised as to the name of DO, or War Bond Officer, receipting to Major De Leon for the funds involved.

For the Fiscal Director, USAFFE:

s/ D F LEPERA,
Captain, FD
Chief, Sp Fin Sev Br.



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APO #923
24 February 1945.

SUBJECT: War Bond Purchase- Tracer.

TO : Commanding Officer, G-3, Headquarters GHQ APO 500.

1. Atn is invited to attached copy of letter forwarded yr Office under date of 6 December, 1944. To date, receipt of reply thereto has not been received by this Office.

2. Request that case be expedited, inasmuch as Fiscal Director, Washington D. C. has requested status of case.

For the Fiscal Director, USAFFE

S/ D. F. LEPERA,
Capt. Fin Dept.,
Chief, Sp Fin Serv Br.



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DVL/JJM/ab.
AFD #903.
30 March, 1945.

SUBJECT : Non-receipt of War Bonds.

TO : Commanding General, General Headquarters, AFD #900
Attention: G-3 Office.

1. Attention invited to attached letter, this Office, dated 6 December, 1944, and tracer thereto, dated 24 February, 1945.
2. To date, this Office is not in receipt of reply to either of the above mentioned letters.
3. Request the case be expeditious and this Office advised as to action taken.

For the Fiscal Director, USAFFE:



s/ D. F. LEPIERA
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Captain, Finance Department,
Chief, Sp Fin Serv Branch.

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Incl 1-Copy letter 6 Dec 44.
Incl 2-Copy tracer 24 Feb 45.
Incl 3-Cert. copy 10 Pa. 41 SFA.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS SOUTHERN PACIFIC AREA, AFD 900, 20 April 1945:

To: Commanding General, United States Army Forces in the Far East, AFD 901

1. Funds as referred to in the basic letter dated 6 December 1944 were deposited with the Finance Officer, USAFFE, Colonel J. B. Roberts.
2. These funds were in Philippine Emergency currency and were placed in safe keeping with the Finance Officer pending redemption by the Philippine Commonwealth Government.

By command of General [Name obscured]

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2 Incls
s/o

D. H. FEENE
Brigadier General, U.S. Army
Adjutant General



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INDIVIDUAL

JURIKA,

THOMAS W.