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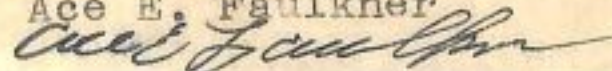
SUBJECT: Claims of Civilian Employees

TO: The Commanding General, Philippines Ryukyus Command,  
APO 707. Attention: Chief of Claims Service

Reference: Your letter of 2nd September 1947

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES )  
CITY OF MANILA )

**A F F I D A V I T**

I, **MATIAS ESCUDERO**, Filipino, of legal age and a resident of Balanga, Bataan, being first duly sworn, depose and say:

That six (6) years prior to the outbreak of war, I was on many occasions employed as Capataz by the Bureau of Public Works, Department of Engineering, of the Province of Bataan.

On or about 5 December 1941, while I was employed as Capataz by the Engineering Office in Balanga, Bataan, we were told that the U.S. Army needed our services and that we had to work for the 14th Engineers, U.S.E.D. On this date, I was transferred to the employment of said 14th Engineers, as a Capataz, and I was in charge of about 35 men in the making of firing lines and digging of foxholes for the U.S. Army. Our work was at first supervised by the Foreman, Engineer Delfin Rueda. The U.S. Army officer in charge was a Major Mansano. It was our understanding that I would receive ₱3.00 per day for my services, and the laborers would receive ₱2.00 per day. I kept a record of all the men who worked under me, and I prepared the payrolls for their services every 15 and end of the month, a copy of which were furnished to the American officer. However, the U.S. Army was never able to come to our place, so none of the men were paid from 16 December 1941 to approximately 20 March 1942. For the first half of December, we were paid by Mr. Dominador Valdecenas, who was then the Paymaster of the Philippine Government in Balanga, Bataan. Mr. Valdecenas, is now employed as Municipal Treasurer of Balanga, Bataan. Due to intense bombing and strafing to which we were subjected, about twice a week, by the Japanese, most of the men stopped working prior to 20 March 1942. I remained in the job about 20 March 1942, at which time I was forced to leave, because of the unsafety condition of said place.


I swear that the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Matias Escudero  
/t/ MATIAS ESCUDERO

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 6th day of July 1946 at Manila, Philippines.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

/s/ Benjamin J. Pulley  
/t/ BENJAMIN J. PULLEY  
Captain INF  
Investigating Officer

  
GRANT S. WILCOX  
Assistant Director, Team #2

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Chief, Claims Service, Philippines-Ryukyus Command

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1. On Dec. 19, 1941, I took 150 laborers (about) from the QMC Dept Labor Pool at Manila, and proceeded to Limay, Bataan, where the number was augmented by some 35 already working at that place. The total (about 180) were all Filipino laborers. None were foreman, capatazes, or timekeepers, such duties were taken care of by officers, & civilian employees. Lt. Carandang was the Filipino officer to whom I assigned the duty of time-keeping. At the time the project started these laborers were being paid about 2.40 pesos per day, for an eight hour day. Labor was scarce. The situation demanded longer hours. As the situation became worse, the men were worked 16 hours daily. For the period Dec. 14th to 18th (or thereabouts) the pay of 2.40 per day obtained. From the 19th to 20th until the evacuation was ended, (30th of Dec.) the pay was five pesos per day. I think the 5.00 rate carried on until 15 Jan. 1942, at which time a uniform rate for all services was established.

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/s/ Otto Harwood  
Colonel, U.S.A. Ret'd.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF CLAIMS SERVICE CSW:rbl:scn

APC 707  
2 September 1947

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Major Ace E. Faulkner  
2413 Pine Avenue  
Niagara Falls, New York

Dear Sir:

This office has received a large number of claims for unpaid services of civilian laborers rendered the U.S. Army through the 14th Engineers in Bataan after the outbreak of the war in 1941. It is alleged by these claimants that the 14th Engineers recruited their services in the construction of the different projects the 14th Engineers undertook to construct during the siege of Bataan. That their services to the Army, were never paid. Information relative to the actual employment of civilian laborers by the Army, roster, and manner of payment, if ever made, is very limited as no available records have been recovered. In view of this fact, it is necessary that a considerable amount of information be furnished this office by different military personnel who were with the 14th Engineers at that time in order that a just and final determination can be rendered these claims.

Information furnished this office shows that a Major Ace E. Faulkner was with the 14th Engineers in 1941. If you are the individual referred to above, it is requested that you furnish this office information in the form of answers to the questions enumerated below.

1. What were the dates of your tour of duty with the 14th Engineers?
2. What unit of the 14th Engineers were you assigned with and what position did you hold?
3. If you were with the 14th Engineers during the siege of Bataan, what projects did you have charged on the construction? Enumerate specifically as many as you can recall.
4. State approximately the date each of the above projects was started and finished, and the name of the officers who were directly in charge.

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PHILIPPINE-AMERICAN COMBAT  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF CLAIMS SERVICE

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Major A. E. ...  
213 Pine Avenue  
Riverside, New York

Dear Sir:

This office has received a large number of claims for unpaid services of civilian laborers rendered the U.S. Army through the 1st Engineers in Hawaii after the cessation of the war in 1945. It is noted by these claims that the 1st Engineers received their services in the construction of the different projects the 1st Engineers undertook to construct during the siege of Iwojima. That their services to the Army, were never paid. Information relative to the actual employment of civilian laborers by the Army, roster and amount of payment, if ever made, is very limited as no available records have been recovered. In view of this fact it is necessary that a considerable amount of information be furnished this office by different military personnel who were with the 1st Engineers at that time in order that a just and final determination can be rendered these claims.

Information furnished this office shows that a Major A. E. ... was with the 1st Engineers in 1945. If you are the individual referred to above, it is requested that you furnish this office information in the form of answers to the questions enumerated below.

1. What were the dates of your tour of duty with the 1st Engineers?
2. What unit of the 1st Engineers were you assigned to and what position did you hold?
3. If you were with the 1st Engineers during the siege of Iwojima, what projects did you have assigned to you and what were your specific duties as they may be?
4. Approximately the date each of the above was started and finished, and the name of the person directly in charge.



5. Do you recall the construction of Bagac Road and some of the airfields in Bataan by the 14th Engineers? State whatever knowledge you may have relative to the labor supply, manner of employment, rate of pay, length of time they were employed, method of payment including period they were last paid.

6. Who were some of the Foremen, Timekeepers, and other responsible civilians employed by the 14th Engineers?

7. Did you have knowledge of the so-called Labor Battalion under the 14th Engineers? If so, to what extent were the members employed by the Army. Give details as to the organization, whether loosely or well organized, the rate of pay paid the members while working for the Army and when the organization was disbanded.

Your kind and prompt cooperation will be greatly appreciated by this office.

Sincerely yours,

GRANT S. WILCOX  
Acting Director, Team #2



6. Do you recall the construction of Hager Road and  
some of the activities in Hager by the 1st Engineers?  
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Acting Director, Form 22



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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF CLAIMS SERVICE

AFO 707  
19 August 1947

Colonel Narciso L. Manzano  
66 Entrada Court  
San Francisco 12, California

Dear Sir:

This office is processing a large number of claims for unpaid wages from individuals who allege to have rendered services to the United States Army particularly the 14th Engineers of which you were one of the ranking officers during the construction of different projects in Bataan after the outbreak of the war in 1941 until the fall of Bataan, 9 April 1942. These individuals, living in different parts of the peninsula, claim that their services to the Army were rendered through the so-called Labor Battalion, an organization formed to control, administer and furnish the labor needs of the Army at that time. This office has no adequate records pertaining to the payrolls and manner of payment of these individuals, nor of any actual employment by the Army. A considerable amount of more definite information from officers of the United States Army who had direct charge on the activities of the 14th Engineers in 1941-1942 is necessary in order to make a final determination of these claims. Information submitted by these claimants is not sufficient to settle a case unless verified or otherwise denied by an officer or officers of the U. S. Army or members thereof. Hence, your cooperation is necessary in order to do justice to these individuals.

It is therefore requested that you furnish this office a statement relative to the following:

1. Your knowledge of the existence of the so-called Labor Battalion or similar organization, stating who were authorized to form them, agreement if any with the United States Army in labor supply.
2. The source of the civilian laborers used by the 14th Engineers in the construction of the projects under their jurisdiction in Bataan in 1941-1942, particularly the Airfield and Bagac Road.





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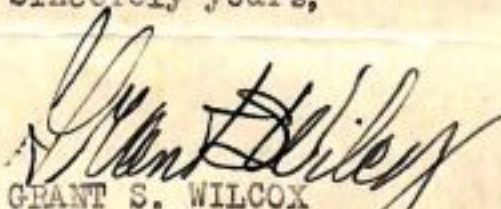
3. The agreed rate of pay per day or per month for Foremen, Capatazes, Timekeepers, and laborers.

4. Length of time they were employed, last pay period they were paid, and who made the payment.

5. Other information that may be of value to this office including names of officers directly connected with the 14th Engineers during the aforementioned period.

Kindly remit the information requested as of above as soon as practicable so that these claims may be settled.

Sincerely yours,



GRANT S. WILCOX  
Acting Director, Team #2


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San Francisco, Oct. 11, 1947 - To: Chief of Claims Service, Hqs. Phil Ry Com.

1. The undersigned possesses no information that will assist in processing claims for unpaid wages of individuals who rendered services to the U.S. Army during the Bataan campaign.

2. The undersigned was not a member of the 14<sup>th</sup> Engrs. during that period.

3. It is suggested that, since labor was hired and paid by the office of the Dept. Engr., some officer of that organization should be contacted to give information on these claims. Col. Wendell W. Fertig, C.E. then Asst. Dept. Engr. now on duty with the Colorado School of Mines may be able to furnish ~~you~~ the information requested in basic communication.

  
N. L. Manzano  
Col. USA (Ret)

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APC 707  
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Notes on BATAAN AIRSTRIP

(PRO-407 LINSANGAN, RICARDO)

CONT. # W-581-ENG-106

PROJECT - Bataan Airstrip ✓

Cacaben, Bataan

Runway - 3,600' x 400'

Paved - 3,600' x 100'

Period of Work - 8 July 41 to 23 Dec 41

During Dec. 41 work lagged  
and the Army + the EPNAB  
took hand; 15 Dec 41 - equip-  
ments were requisitioned for  
contractor.

Payroll - Paid to 15 Dec 41

(Portion of P/R - 16-22 Dec 41  
included in claim)

Personnel - Grade Engos.

Recabo, Matias

Pineda, Pablo

Sanitary Insp.

Escobar, R. S.

- Foreman

Lucio Del

- Capataz

Bonifacio, Jaime

Pangilianan, Anastacio

Atienza, Hermenildo

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PHILIPPINES-RYUKYUS COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF CLAIMS SERVICE

AP0 707  
1 October 1947

Col. Narciso L. Manzano  
66 Entrada Court  
San Francisco 12, California


Dear Sir:

This office is processing a number of claims for unpaid wages filed by laborers allegedly employed by the 14th Engineers, in what they termed as the US Public Works, in the making of firing lines and in digging foxholes in Bagac, Bataan. These laborers were formerly employees at the Bureau of Public Works, Department of Engineering, Province of Bataan. However, the US Army allegedly commandeered their services and they were assigned in making firing lines and in digging foxholes for the US Army. Their work was supervised by Engineer Delfin Rueda, and that you were the Officer-in-Charge of the work, with Matias Escudero as capataz. Payrolls covering these men were allegedly prepared every 15 and end of the month, and copies of same were furnished Lieutenant Roy, an American officer of the 14th Engineers. The claimants alleged that the US Army was never able to pay them in full or in part for their services which lasted up to 20 March 1942. On this date, they stopped working due to intense bombing and strafing to which they were subjected by the enemy.

In order to expedite the processing of these claims, it is requested that a statement be furnished this office covering your knowledge of the existence of this project, inclusive dates of operation, approximate number of men employed, rates of pay of the laborers, and of the capataz and the period for which they were not paid.

This case has been assigned number PRO-7524. When replying, please refer to this number.

Sincerely yours,

  
GRANT S. WILCOX  
Asst. Director, Team #2

*San Francisco, Calif.  
Oct. 21, 1947*

*I was a member of Hqs. USAFFE during the Bataan campaign and not a member of the 14th Engrs. I have no knowledge of above claims*

*W. L. Manzano  
Col. U.S.A. (Ret.) 0-14790*



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Bureau of Public Works  
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ENGINEER  
Balanga, Bataan

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1st Indorsement  
Oct. 24, 1946

Respectfully returned to the Chief of Claims, Claim Service, AFWESPAC, Headquarters, APO 707, Manila, enclosing herewith the affidavits of Assistant Civil Engineers Pacifico Calimbas and Adriano de la Cruz, and Foremen Vicente L. Engkingco, Mariano G. Ramirez and Herminio S. Tiengco, which are self-explanatory.

In connection thereto, please be informed that the payrolls or time-sheets, or any other written orders from the U.S. Army were all destroyed and/or burned during the recent war.

In view of the above, it is earnestly hoped that the herein affidavits will be favorably considered.

*Mariano M. Sison*  
MILLIANO M. SISON  
District Engineer

Encl: As stated above.

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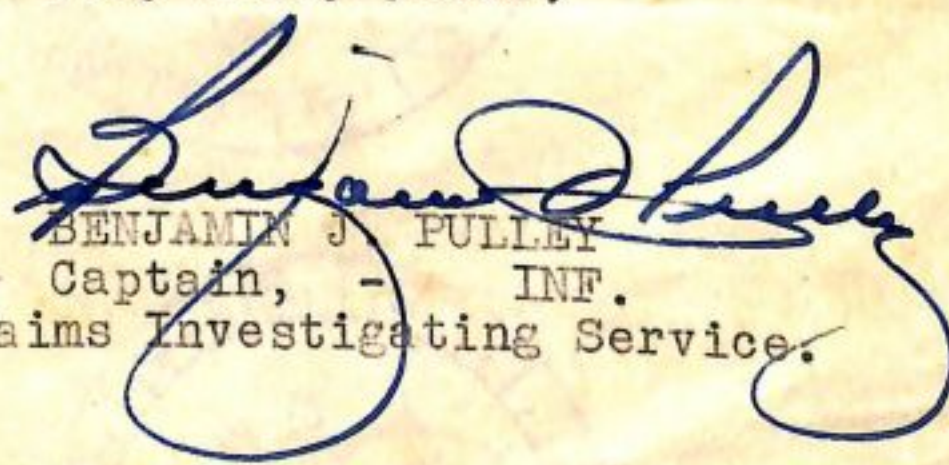
Office of the District Engineer  
Province of Bataan,  
Balanga, Bataan

Dear Sir:

Recently, claims had been filed against the U. S. Government for unpaid wages as a result of work allegedly performed in a labor battalion which was organized 16 December 1941, and referred to as Civilian Emergency Administration. The claimants have stated that this battalion was ordered into being by the U. S. Army, and that, work continued on until 1 January 1942, of which time the battalion ceased to exist because of the approach of Japanese Forces.

In order to give credence to these claims, it is necessary that definite proof be established that such an organization actually existed, and that it was under the direct orders and supervision of the U. S. Army. Further, it would facilitate the processing of these claims, if there was evidence of any original payrolls or time-sheets, or any other written orders or evidence from the U. S. Army. Until such time, as an answer is received from you, I am holding all wages connected with this project in abeyance.

Very truly yours,

  
BENJAMIN J. PULLEY  
Captain, - INF.  
Claims Investigating Service.

Republic of the Philippines  
Municipality of  
Province of Batangas

That I A

TO: THE  
DIRECTOR OF THE DISTRICT ENGINEER  
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ENGINEER  
PROVINCE OF BATANGAS  
BATAVIA, BATANGAS

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performed in a labor battalion which was organized in  
December 1941, and referred to as Division Army Army  
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forces.

In order to give credence to these claims, it is neces-  
sary that definite proof be established that such an organi-  
zation actually existed, and that it was under the direct  
orders and supervision of the U.S. Army. Further, it would  
be desirable to have possession of these facilities and necessary  
evidence of any original payrolls or other records for any other  
written orders or evidence from the time that the battalion  
was connected with the U.S. Army.

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 Province of Bataan )

A F F I D A V I T

That I ADRIANO DE LA CRUZ, a Filipino citizen, married, of legal age and residing at Balanga, Bataan, after having been duly sworn in accordance with law depose and say:

That on December 16, 1946, I was employed by one Major Pio Mag-sino of the 14th Engineer U. S. Army in Bataan as Engineer incharge of recruiting and organizing civilians into labor gang to work in army jobs then being undertaken for the defense of Bataan.

That the said Army Officer give a wage of P5.00 per day for Engineers. That we were stationed in Kupang Barrion School, which served as my headquarter, Bagac Elementary School and Moron Elementary School buildings, ready at any time of the day to be sent to the places of assignment.

That the places where we worked were construction of Mabatang defense line at Abucay, trails in Moron, detour in Balanga, Bagac beach defense and bodegas and trails in Mariveles.

That we worked from December 16, 1941 to April 9, 1942.

That we were not paid for the above services by the U.S. Army because of the disruption of communications which render payment impossible.

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That I recruited ~~830~~ laborers including foremen, time-keeper and mess officers.

That to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify the following laborers who worked faithfully and continuously from Dec. 16, 1941 up to the fall of Bataan on April 9, 1942, including their designations, wages and addresses.

<u>NAMES</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1. Aurelio Paguio	Timekeeper	P2.50	Balanga, Bataan
2. Ignacio Tiangco	Capataz	2.50	" "
3. Jose Gonzales Sr.	"	2.50	" "
4. Jose Gonzales Jr.	"	2.50	" "
5. Ignacio Florendo	"	2.50	Moron, "
6. Mariano Velasco	"	2.50	" "
7. Pablo D. Gonzales	"	2.50	Balanga, "
8. Antonio Enriquez	"	2.50	" "
9. Pablo Escalada	"	2.50	" "
10. Urbano Robles	"	2.50	" "
11. Estenislao Diwa	"	2.50	" "
12. Andres Eugey	"	2.50	" "
13. Luis Velasco	"	2.50	Moron "
14. Catalino Rodriguez	"	2.50	Balanga, "
15. Cipriano Quindoy	"	2.50	" "
16. Mariano Marco	Foreman	4.50	" "
17. Simeon Cuevas	Cook	2.00	" "
18. Jose Palma	Mess Officer	2.50	" "

Note (X)-- All names cross-out on the following pages appear already on this page.

<u>NAMES</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
(X) 1. <del>Marcelino Paguio</del>	<del>Timekeeper</del>	<del>2.50 @</del>	Belanga, Bataan
X 2. Alfredo Tigas	Laborer	1.20	" "
X 3. Jesus Rangco	"	1.20	" "
X 4. Jose Evangelista	"	1.20	" "
X 5. Felipe Tuazon	"	1.20	" "
X 6. Antonio Robles	"	1.20	" "
X 7. Lorenzo Pajares	"	1.20	" "
X 8. Camilo Manalantao	"	1.20	" "
X 9. Isidro de la Cruz	"	1.20	" "
-10. Enrique Alonzo	"	1.20	" "
X 11. Antonio Gregorio	"	1.20	" "
X 12. Amando Paguio	"	1.20	" "
X 13. Primitivo Maglati	"	1.20	" "
X 14. Leon Cuevas	"	1.20	" "
-15. Francisco Almario	"	1.20	" "
X 16. Valentin Evangelista	"	1.20	" "
X 17. Teofilo de la Cruz	"	1.20	Bugallon, Pangasinan
X 18. Lauro Castro	"	1.20	" "
X 19. Marcelino Castro	"	1.20	" "
X 20. Felix Manlapid	"	1.20	Belanga, Bataan
X 21. Angel Cuevas	"	1.20	" "
X 22. Remegio Gabaya	"	1.20	" "
X 23. Jose Renoso	"	1.20	" "
X 24. Federico de la Cruz	"	1.20	" "
-25. Miguel Almario	"	1.20	" "
X 26. David Manalantao	"	1.20	" "
X 27. Francisco Reyes	"	1.20	" "
X 28. Federico Tamoro	"	1.20	" "
X 29. Victor de Leon	"	1.20	" "
30. <del>Ignacio Tiangco</del>	<del>Capataz-Timekeeper</del>	<del>2.50 @</del>	" "
X 31. Benito Dilig	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, "
X 32. Jose Sanchez (deceased)-	"	1.20	" "
X 33. <del>Gregorio Cruz</del>	"	1.20	Belanga, "
X 34. Apolonio Cruz	"	1.20	" "
X 35. Arcadio Tiangco	"	1.20	" "
X 36. Luis Sanchez	"	1.20	" "
X 37. Ismael de Leon	"	1.20	" "
-38. Ireneo Atienza	"	1.20	" "
X 39. Magno Recarpo	"	1.20	" "
X 40. Pedro Dizon	"	1.20	" "
X 41. Miguel Pardillo	"	1.20	" "
X 42. Amado Dilig	"	1.20	" "
X 43. Exequiel Dilig	"	1.20	" "
X 44. Pedro Mendoza	"	1.20	" "
X 45. Carlito Nava	"	1.20	Pilar, "
X 46. Emiliano Gatdula	"	1.20	" "
X 47. Arsenio Reyes	"	1.20	" "
X 48. Ricardo Tuazon	"	1.20	" "
X 49. Ricardo Nava	"	1.20	" "
X 50. David Tolentino	"	1.20	" "
X 51. Refaldo Torrico	"	1.20	" "
X 52. Miguel "	"	1.20	" "
X 53. Eleno Nava	"	1.20	" "
X 54. Amando Guevarra	"	1.20	Belanga, "
X 55. Conrado de la Rosa	"	1.20	" "
X 56. Dominador Villanueva	"	1.20	" "
X 57. Victor de Leon	"	1.20	Pilar "
X 58. Gregorio Mendoza	"	1.20	" "
X 59. Exequiel Marcilang	"	1.20	" "
X 60. Dominador Tolindon	"	1.20	" "

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61. Apolonio Almario X	Laborer	P1.20	Pilar, Bataan
62. Inan Tolentino X	"	1.20	" "
63. Nicanor Morogate X	"	1.20	" "
64. Edgardo Valemo	"	1.20	" "
65. Gregorio Serrano X	"	1.20	Balanga, "
66. Vicente "	"	1.20	" "
67. Prudencio delos Reyes X	"	1.20	" "
68. Fernando Garcia X	"	1.20	" "
69. Heraldó Cervantó X	"	1.20	" "
70. Mateo Herrera X	"	1.20	" "
71. Macario Torrico X	"	1.20	" "
72. Pacifico Paguio X	"	1.20	" "
<del>73. Jose Gonzales 1st Capataz</del>	<del>"</del>	<del>2.50</del>	<del>" "</del>
74. Crisanto Craiz X	Laborer	1.20	" "
75. Mariano Eraiz X	"	1.20	" "
76. Andres Austria X	"	1.20	" "
77. Benjamin Maragalo X	"	1.20	" "
78. Antonio Enriquez X	"	1.20	" "
79. Antonio Santos X	"	1.20	" "
80. Evaristo Santos X	"	1.20	" "
81. Paterno Quinteso X	"	1.20	" "
82. Domingo de Jesus X	"	1.20	" "
83. Candido Flores X	"	1.20	" "
84. Mariano Bernabe X	"	1.20	" "
<del>85. Jose Gonzales Jr. Capataz</del>	<del>"</del>	<del>2.50</del>	<del>" "</del>
86. Pedro Dizon X	Laborer	1.20	" "
87. Pedro Pascasio X	"	1.20	" "
88. Juan Montejernoso X	"	1.20	" "
89. Francisco Isidro X	"	1.20	" "
90. Hernojenes Canare X	"	1.20	" "
91. Pedro Santiago X	"	1.20	" "
92. Ciriaco Garcia X	"	1.20	" "
93. Angel de la Cruz X	"	1.20	" "
<del>94. Ignacio Florendo Capataz</del>	<del>"</del>	<del>2.50</del>	<del>Moron, "</del>
95. Antonio Valdes X	Laborer	1.20	" "
96. Alfredo Henarez X	"	1.20	" "
97. Daradio Valdez X	"	1.20	" "
98. Ciriaco Florendo X	"	1.20	" "
99. Cayteno Valdez X	"	1.20	" "
100. Alfonso Perez X	"	1.20	" "
101. Zozimo Valdez X	"	1.20	" "
102. Arcadio Mangalendon X	"	1.20	" "
103. Edilberto Gonzales X	"	1.20	" "
104. Perfecto Henarez X	"	1.20	" "
105. Primo Valdez X	"	1.20	" "
106. Alejandro Henarez X	"	1.20	" "
107. Jacinto Poson X	"	1.20	" "
108. Macario Henarez X	"	1.20	" "
109. Enlialio Domingo X	"	1.20	" "
110. Mariano Perez X	"	1.20	" "
111. Zozimo Manalo X	"	1.20	" "
112. Zozimo Perez X	"	1.20	" "
113. Boinar Tamoro X	"	1.20	" "
<del>114. Mariano Velasco Capataz</del>	<del>"</del>	<del>2.50</del>	<del>" "</del>
115. Alejandro Labitan X	Laborer	1.20	" "
116. Gregorio Velasco X	"	1.20	" "
117. Gervacio Medina X	"	1.20	" "
118. Jacinto Medina X	"	1.20	" "
119. Juanito Eliano X	"	1.20	" "
120. Vidal Tria X	"	1.20	" "
121. Emoteo Velasco X	"	1.20	" "
122. Vicente Quinlot X	"	1.20	" "
123. Pascual Pastillon X	"	1.20	" "
124. Aurelio Florendo X	"	1.20	" "
125. Enrique Florendo X	"	1.20	" "
126. Gaudencio Rusio X	"	1.20	" "
127. Andres de los Delerio X	"	1.20	" "
128. Florentino Dacon X	"	1.20	" "

	Domingo Perez	Laborer	P1.20	Moron, Bataan
	Angel Velasco	"	1.20	" "
	131. Prudencio Calma	"	1.20	" "
	132. Julian Ramos	"	1.20	" "
	133. Bernardito Perez	"	1.20	" "
	<del>134. Pablo D. Gonzales</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	" "
X	135. Federico Naval	Laborer	1.20	" "
X	136. Bablito Escalada	"	1.20	" "
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X	140. Ricardo Bangco	"	1.20	" "
X	141. Mariano Bangco	"	1.20	" "
X	142. Ramon Gabriel	"	1.20	" "
X	143. Macario Torrico	"	1.20	" "
X	144. Gonzalo Torrico	"	1.20	" "
X	145. Gonzalo Eugenio	"	1.20	" "
X	146. Loreto de la Torre	"	1.20	" "
X	147. Alfredo Austria	"	1.20	" "
X	148. Alberto Alvarado	"	1.20	" "
X	149. Felimon Diwa	"	1.20	" "
X	150. Leon Robles	"	1.20	Balanga, "
X	151. Florentino Dizon	"	1.20	" "
	<del>152. Antonio Enriquez</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	" "
X	153. Lorenzo Bien	Laborer	1.20	" "
X	154. Cezar Marco	"	1.20	" "
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X	158. Dominador David	"	1.20	" "
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X	160. Cosme Calimbas	"	1.20	" "
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X	168. Jose Rosuro	"	1.20	" "
X	169. Ricardo Lopez	"	1.20	" "
X	170. Romauldo Nunez	"	1.20	" "
	<del>171. Fabio Escalada</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	" "
X	172. Francisco Robles	Laborer	1.20	" "
X	173. Jose Escalada	"	1.20	" "
X	174. Almario Escalada	"	1.20	" "
	175. Ricardo de Leon	"	1.20	" "
	176. David Cason	"	1.20	" "
	177. Ciriaco SAVEDRA	"	1.20	" "
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X	180. Maximo Cruz	"	1.20	" "
X	181. Anado Guela	"	1.20	" "
X	182. Venancio de Leon	"	1.20	" "
X	183. Pascual del Rosario	"	1.20	" "
X	184. Pedro Escalada	"	1.20	" "
X	185. Gregorio Herrera	"	1.20	" "
X	186. Eulogio Rivera	"	1.20	" "
X	187. Venancio Bernabe	"	1.20	" "
X	188. Ireneo Baluyot	"	1.20	" "
X	189. Ramon Gabriel	"	1.20	" "
X	190. Delfin Torrico	"	1.20	" "
	<del>191. Urbano Robles</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	" "
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X	193. Eligio Rivera	"	1.20	" "
X	194. Rodolfo Dizon	"	1.20	" "
X	195. Manuel Alonzo	"	1.20	" "
X	196. Jose Reyes	"	1.20	" "
X	197. Felimon Diwa	"	1.20	" "

No.	Name	Occupation	Rate	Location
199.	Gregorio Jaime	Laborer	P1.20	Balanga, Bataan
X 200.	Florentino Dizon	"	1.20	" "
X 201.	Romulo del Rosario	"	1.20	" "
✓ 202.	Antônio Perez	"	1.20	" "
✓ 203.	Alberto Alvarado	"	1.20	" "
X 204.	Loreto de la Torre	"	1.20	" "
X 205.	Teodoro Sanchez	"	1.20	" "
X 206.	Pantaleon Robles	"	1.20	" "
X 207.	Nicanor Perez	"	1.20	" "
X 208.	Enrigoito Alvarado	"	1.20	" "
X 209.	Apolonio Quista	"	1.20	" "
✓ 210.	Benito Tregero	"	1.20	" "
X 211.	Alejandro de Leon	"	1.20	" "
<del>212.</del>	<del>Estanislao Diwa</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	" "
X 213.	Leocadio Zalomea	Laborer	1.20	" "
X 214.	Ananias Pascual	"	1.20	" "
X 215.	Bayani Margallo	"	1.20	" "
X 216.	Amado Linao	"	1.20	" "
X 217.	Bienvenido Valdez	"	1.20	" "
X 218.	Juanito Medina	"	1.20	" "
X 219.	Florentino Bugay	"	1.20	" "
X 220.	Domingo Bugay	"	1.20	" "
X 221.	Fortunato Genete	"	1.20	" "
X 222.	Bernardo Zalomea	"	1.20	" "
X 223.	Celedonio Caguiwa	"	1.20	" "
X 224.	Eliseo Escalona	"	1.20	" "
X 225.	Ambrosio Guzman	"	1.20	" "
X 226.	Jacinto Ducan	"	1.20	" "
✓ 227.	Gaudencio Calma	"	1.20	" "
X 228.	Guillermo Ellano	"	1.20	" "
<del>229.</del>	<del>Andres Bugay</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	Moron, "
X 230.	Pedro Guzman	Laborer	1.20	" "
X 231.	Alfredo Nazareno	"	1.20	" "
X 232.	Pedro Agnena	"	1.20	" "
X 233.	Enrique Ancaya	"	1.20	" "
X 234.	Pedro Florendo	"	1.20	" "
<del>235.</del>	<del>Luis S. Velasco</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	" "
X 236.	Santiago Paguio	Laborer	1.20	" "
X 237.	Felix Bugay	"	1.20	" "
X 238.	Catalino Apostol	"	1.20	" "
X 239.	Marcelo Castro	"	1.20	" "
X 240.	Guillermo Linao	"	1.20	" "
X 241.	Mariano Agcavile	"	1.20	" "
✓ 242.	Mariano Perez	"	1.20	" "
X 243.	Ariston Nazareno	"	1.20	" "
✓ 244.	Florencio Sulenge	"	1.20	" "
X 245.	Timoteo Velasco	"	1.20	" "
<del>246.</del>	<del>Catalino Rodriguez</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	Balanga, "
X 247.	Tomas Reyes	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, "
X 248.	Serapio Reyes	"	1.20	" "
X 249.	Jose Inlong	"	1.20	" "
✓ 250.	Luis de la Peña	"	1.20	" "
X 251.	Emilio Seperiano	"	1.20	Balanga, "
X 252.	Valentin Manding	"	1.20	" "
X 253.	Fausto Agripino	"	1.20	" "
X 254.	Jose del Rosario	"	1.20	" "
X 255.	Nazario Maglake	"	1.20	" "
X 256.	Cosme Ramires	"	1.20	" "
<del>257.</del>	<del>Cipriano Quinday</del>	<del>Capataz</del>	<del>2.50</del>	" "
X 258.	Alfredo del Mundo	Laborer	1.20	" "
X 259.	Candido Aguiles	"	1.20	" "
X 260.	Herminio "	"	1.20	" "
✓ 261.	Juan Garcia	"	1.20	" "
X 262.	Pacifico Ramirez	"	1.20	" "
X 263.	Jacinto Buenaventura	"	1.20	Bagac "
X 264.	Esteban Narciso	"	1.20	" "
X 265.	Pacifico Vitangcol	"	1.20	Orion, "
X 266.	Doegracias Quintos	"	1.20	" "
X 267.	Roman Mariano	"	1.20	Pilar, "
<del>268.</del>	<del>Mariano T. Meroe</del>	<del>Foreman</del>	<del>4.50</del>	Balanga, "

That during the Japanese occupation, of the Philippines, I did not collaborate with the Japanese Government nor with his agents in any manner whatsoever;

That my claims are just and free from fraud;

That to the best of my knowledge and belief the above statement are true and correct;

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby affixed my signature this 15th day of October, 1946, in the municipality of Balanga, Bataan .

*Adriano de la Cruz*  
ADRIANO DE LA CRUZ  
Engineer in charge of Unit

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 24 day of October, 1946, at the Municipality of Balanga, Bataan, Philippines.



*Jose Gonzales*  
JOSE GONZALES  
Municipal Mayor  
Balanga, Bataan

/c

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)  
 MUNICIPALITY OF BALANGA } S.S.  
 PROVINCE OF BATAAN }

A F F I D A V I T

I, MARIANO G. RAMIREZ, of legal age, married, and temporarily resident of Balanga, Bataan, after being duly sworn to according to law, deposes and says:

That during the first few days of the recent war, sometime on Dec. 12, 1941, Major Pio Magsino, 14th Engineer Corps. U.S. Army commanded me to organize the so-called CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS.;

That within four days, being emergency in nature, the said CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS was organized on Dec. 16, 1941 and on the same very day the organization began to operate;

That the said organization was known as the CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS COMPANY B with headquarters at Orani, Bataan;

That the same has been assigned to repair the old Layac road, Layac road detour, repair of Tapulao-Orani road, preparations and digging of foxholes and trenches in Mabatang, Abucay, Bataan, putting of camouflage for the Orani Water Tanks;

That the said routine duties assigned to the corps lasted up to April 9, 1942, the date of surrender of the Fil-American forces in Bataan;

That by reason of the surrender all records pertaining to the organization were destroyed to escape the brutality of the enemy;

That the organizations was composed of the following personnel:

*Mariano G. Ramirez*  
 Affiant

Name	Position	Wage	Address
1. Delfin Rueda	Foreman	P 4.50	Balanga, Bataan
2. Mariano G. Ramirez	Foreman	4.50	Orani, Bataan
3. Domocrito Dominguez	Timekeeper	2.50	Semal, Bataan
4. Aderneido, Moises	Laborer	1.20	Orani, Bataan
5. Aranas, Simplicio	"	1.20	Orani, Bataan
6. Arellano, Luis	Asst. Ration & Timekeeper	2.00	" "
7. Avela, Dionesio	Laborer	1.20	" "
8. Bautista, Abraham	Carpenter	1.50	" "
9. Bautista, Nicanor	"	2.00	" "
10. Buenaventura, Bernabe	Laborer	1.20	" "
11. Cahilig, Leopoldo	"	1.20	" "
12. Canare, Mariano	"	1.20	" "
13. Canlas, Domingo	Carpenter	2.00	" "
14. Corpus, Jose	Carpenter	2.00	" "
15. Cruz, Anastacio	Laborer	1.20	" "
16. Cruz, Emilio	Carpenter	2.00	" "
17. Cruz, Isaias	Laborer	1.20	" "
18. Cruz, Macario	Mason	2.00	" "
19. Cruz, Ricardo	Carpenter	2.00	" "
20. David, Potenciano	Ass't Cook	1.50	" "
21. Dominguez, Marcial	Laborer	1.20	" "
22. Fernando, Ignacio	Capatas	2.50	" "
23. Galicia, Juan	Cook	2.00	" "
24. Galicia, Wenceslao	Laborer	1.20	" "

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Name	Position	Wage	Address
<b>25.</b>			
X25. Isidro, Simon	Laborer	P 1.20	Orani, Bataan
X26. Lazarte, Eugenio	Carpenter	2.00	" "
X27. Leon, Feliciano de	Laborer	1.20	" "
X28. Leon, Lazaro de	"	1.20	" "
X29. Nuguid, Antero	Mason	2.00	" "
X30. Gregorio, Pena	Mason	1.50	" "
X31. Quiambao, Claro	Carpenter	2.00	" "
X32. Quiambao, Emilio	Laborer	1.20	" "
X33. Quiambao, Silva	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X34. Reyes, Castor	Laborer	1.20	" "
X35. Reyes, Francisco	Carpenter	2.00	" "
X36. Reyes, Francisco	Blaksmith	2.00	" "
X37. Reyes, Segundino	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X38. Reyes, Manuel	Laborer	1.20	" "
X39. Reyes, Severino	Mason	2.00	" "
X40. Roberto, Guillermo	Carpenter	2.00	" "
X41. Roque, Anselmo	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X42. Roque, Fliemino	Painter	1.50	" "
X43. Roque, Tomas	Painter	2.00	" "
X44. Salazar, Juanito	Painter	1.50	" "
X45. Salonga, Melencio	Laborer	1.20	" "
X46. Santos, Adriano	"	1.20	" "
X47. Santos, Enrique	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X48. Santos, Francisco	Laborer	1.20	" "
X49. Santos, Isaias	Mason	1.50	" "
X50. Sevilla, Fidel	Laborer	1.20	" "
X51. Tiongson, Eulogio	"	1.20	" "
X52. Venlusa, Domingo	"	1.20	" "
X53. Laureano, Cornelio	Capataz	2.50	" "
X54. Jorge, Federico	Mason	1.50	" "
X55. Vianzon, Marcial	Painter	1.50	" "
X56. Acuna, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	" "
X57. Candido, Mauricio	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X58. Canlas, Alejo	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X59. Exala, Jose	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X60. Feliciano, Edilberto	"	1.50	" "
X61. Fermin, Vicente	Laborer	1.20	" "
X62. Fernandez, Braulio	"	1.20	" "
X63. Galit, Agapito	Carpenter	1.50	" "
X64. Magpoc, Gregorio	Painter	1.50	" "
X65. Pili, Guillermo	Laborer	1.20	" "
X66. Quinten, Jose	"	1.20	" "
X67. Ramos, Conrado	"	1.20	" "
X68. Ronquillo, Teodoro	"	1.20	" "
X69. Ramos, Sardenos	"	1.20	" "
X70. Valencia, Angel	"	1.20	" "

WITNESS my hand this 20 day of August, 1946 at Balanga, Bataan.

*Mariano G. Ramirez*  
 MARIANO G. RAMIREZ  
 Affiant

Subscribed and sworn to be fore me this 20 day of August, 1946 at Balanga, Bataan. Affiant exhibiting Res. Cert. No. 136.802 issued at Balanga, Bataan on Jan. 18, 19 1946.

Witness my hand and official seal this 19, 1946 at Balanga, Bataan.

*Angelino M. Banzon*  
 ANGELINO M. BANZON  
 Notary Public

My commission expires Dec. 31, 1947

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Name	Position	Age	Address
25. Laidro, Simon	Laborer	1.20	Orani, Betan
26. Laxarte, Eugenio	Carpenter	2.00	"
27. Leon, Feliciano de	Laborer	1.20	"
28. Leon, Lazaro de	"	1.20	"
29. Murad, Ansero	Mason	2.00	"
30. Gregorio, Ferns	Mason	1.50	"
31. Quimbas, Cirio	Carpenter	2.00	"
32. Quimbas, Emilio	Laborer	1.20	"
33. Quimbas, Silva	Carpenter	1.50	"
34. Reyes, Castor	Laborer	1.20	"
35. Reyes, Francisco	Carpenter	2.00	"
36. Reyes, Francisco	Blacksmith	2.00	"
37. Reyes, Secundino	Carpenter	1.50	"
38. Reyes, Manuel	Laborer	1.20	"
39. Reyes, Severino	Mason	2.00	"
40. Roberto, Guillermo	Carpenter	2.00	"
41. Roque, Anselmo	Carpenter	1.50	"
42. Roque, Placido	Painter	1.50	"
43. Roque, Tomas	Painter	2.00	"
44. Solano, Juanito	Painter	1.50	"
45. Salones, Meloncio	Laborer	1.20	"
46. Santos, Adriano	"	1.20	"
47. Santos, Enrique	Carpenter	1.50	"
48. Santos, Francisco	Laborer	1.20	"
49. Santos, Isaias	Mason	1.50	"
50. Sevilla, Fidel	Laborer	1.20	"
51. Thompson, Rufino	"	1.20	"
52. Venias, Domingo	"	1.20	"
53. Laureano, Cornelio	Carpenter	2.50	"
54. Torre, Federico	Mason	1.50	"
55. Vianon, Marcelo	Painter	1.50	"
56. Avila, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	"
57. Gaudin, Mauricio	Carpenter	1.50	"
58. Garcia, Aljo	Carpenter	1.50	"
59. Exala, Jose	Carpenter	1.20	"
60. Bellano, Edilberto	"	1.50	"
61. Termin, Vicente	Laborer	1.20	"
62. Fernandez, Braulio	"	1.20	"
63. Galit, Agapito	Carpenter	1.50	"
64. Marcos, Gregorio	Painter	1.50	"
65. Tili, Guillermo	Laborer	1.20	"
66. Ninton, Jose	"	1.20	"
67. Ramos, Corbano	"	1.20	"
68. Ronquillo, Teodoro	"	1.20	"
69. Ramos, Gerbenon	"	1.20	"
70. Valencia, Angel	"	1.20	"

Witness my hand this 20 day of August, 1946 at Betan.

MARINO S. RUIZ  
Attendant

Witness my hand and official seal this 19 day of August, 1946 at Betan.

My commission expires Dec. 31, 1947  
Notary Public



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 PROVINCE OF BATAAN )

**A F F I D A V I T**

I, Vicente L. Ongkingco, married, of legal age, native born citizen of Abucay, Bataan, after having been duly sworn to in accordance to law, hereby depose and say:

That I was a <sup>Const.</sup> ~~bridge~~ foreman in the office of the District Engineer in Balanga, Bataan before the war in a daily basis of P4.50 per day.

That when the War broke out, and when the U.S. Army commenced to prepare Military defenses in the Bataan Peninsula after the Pearl Harbor incident, I met Major Pio Magsino of the 14th Corps of Engineer of the U.S. Army on Dec. 16, 1941; from whom I received instruction to organize the civilians in the Municipality of Abucay, Bataan, in which labor gang or unit so-called at the time as Civilian Labor Corps (CIC). That this Civilian Laborer began to work on Dec. 18, 1941 under the supervision and control of the U.S. Army until April 9, 1942.

That the pertinent data of this organization are as follows:

- a. Headquarters ----- Abucay Elementary School, Abucay, Bataan
- b. Foreman----- Vicente L. Ongkingco
- c. Timekeeper and Ration Officer----- Jose Bautista
- d. No. of Capatazes, Carpenter, Laborer, and Cooks etc.----- 69 ~~55~~
- e. Places to which assigned----- Construction of Laya bridge detour, bridge at Abucay Plantation, diversion road, and bridge at Balanga, putting commoufage of water tank in Balanga, road repair in "Little Baguio" in Mariveles, and at Balanga-Bagac road and bridges.
- f. List of Names of Laborer. etc. and their wages:

**HEADQUARTERS PERSONNEL**

X 1.	Vicente L. Ongkingco - Foreman-----	P5.00
X 2.	Jose Bautista-----	Timekeeper & Rat. Off. -- P2.00
X 3.	Luciano N. Ongkingco--	Asst. Chief Personnel -- P1.20
X 4.	Ramon Navarro-----	" " " -- P1.20
X 5.	Tomas Baluyot-----	Chief Cook ----- P1.20
X 6.	Guillermo Angeles ----	Asst. Chief Cook----- P1.20
X 7.	Marcelo Igon-----	Cook Helper----- P1.10
X 8.	Jaime Baluyot-----	" " ----- P1.10
X 9.	Valente Tria-----	" " ----- P1.10
X 10.	Santos Baluyot-----	" " ----- P1.10
X 11.	Aurelio Valentos-----	House boy ----- P1.00
X 12.	Jose Camacho-----	" " ----- P1.00
	Squad No. 1	
X 1.	Raymundo Salandanan -	Capatas ----- P1.80
X 2.	Irenio Rinosa -	Head Carpenter----- P1.50
X 3.	Jose Agranum-----	Carpenter ----- P1.40
X 4.	Gregorio de Mesa ----	⊙ ----- P1.30
X 5.	Adriano Baluyot-----	Carpenter Helper----- P1.20
X 6.	Manuel Alba-----	" " ----- P1.20
X 7.	Eusebio Igon-----	" " ----- P1.20
X 8.	Celestino Guevarra---	" " ----- P1.20
X 9.	Amado Camacho-----	" " ----- P1.20
X 10.	Marcos Pruna-----	" " ----- P1.20
X 11.	Mauricio Salandanan---	" " ----- P1.20
X 12.	Melquides Enriquez---	Laborer ----- P1.00
X 13.	Antonio Mallari-----	" ----- P1.00
X 14.	Rosendo Olaya-----	" ----- P1.00
X 15.	Jose Malibumas-----	" ----- P1.00
X 16.	Maximino Pajarin-----	" ----- P1.00
X 17.	Patricio Danque-----	" ----- P1.00
X 18.	Baltazar Manlapid-----	" ----- P1.00
X 19.	Damberto Gumanan-----	" ----- P1.00



X 20.	Gregorio Matacote-----	Laborer	-----	P1.00
X 21.	Mariano Pascual-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 22.	Felimon Cruz-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 23.	Alberto Valentos-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 24.	Conrado Alba-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 25.	Santos Canare-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 26.	Petronilo Yumol-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 27.	Marcelo Alba-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 28.	Eliseo Baluyot-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 29.	Rufino del Pinado-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 30.	Carlito Carraig-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 31.	Jaime de Guzman-----	"	-----	P1.00

Squad No. 2

X 1.	Alejandro Carlos-----	Capataz	-----	P1.80
X 2.	Isabelo Tengongciang ---	Head Carpenter-----	-----	P1.50
X 3.	Maximino Tanega-----	Carpenter-----	-----	P1.40
X 4.	Felix Escartin-----	Carpenter Helper-----	-----	P1.20
X 5.	Victorino Valerio-----	"	"	P1.20
X 6.	Prudencio Guanzon-----	"	"	P1.20
X 7.	Antero Maliuban-----	"	"	P1.20
X 8.	Cenon Ongoco-----	"	"	P1.20
X 9.	Anacleto Mina-----	"	"	P1.20
X 10.	Felipe Ibarra-----	"	"	P1.20
X 11.	Reynaldo Trajano-----	Laborer-----	-----	P1.00
X 12.	Oscar Griva	"	-----	P1.00
X 13.	Simeon Baluyot	"	-----	P1.00
X 14.	Alfonso Cunanan	"	-----	P1.00
X 15.	Nicanor dela Rosa-----	"	-----	P1.00
X 16.	Bruno Flores	"	-----	P1.00
X 17.	Avelino dela Rosa	"	-----	P1.00
X 18.	Ramon Angeles	"	-----	P1.00
X 19.	Timoteo Tagle	"	-----	P1.00
X 20.	Reynaldo Margenio	"	-----	P1.00
X 21.	Alfonso Cornel	"	-----	P1.00
X 22.	Benigno Danque	"	-----	P1.00
X 23.	Arcadio Munoz	"	-----	P1.00
X 24.	Damaso Tria	"	-----	P1.00
X 25.	Manuel Olmo	"	-----	P1.00
X 26.	Roque Flores	"	-----	P1.00
X 27.	Benjamin Legaspi	"	-----	P1.00

g. Records ---- Papers other than payroll are already submitted available due to (1) confusion on the part of the Army defended of Bataan, (2) Speedy Japs invasion and bombings which disrupted communication, (3) Records if any were lost like other personal property.

In witness whereof, I hereby sign my name this 12 day of August, 1946 at Abucay, Bataan.

*Vicente L. Ongkingco*  
 VICENTE L. ONGKINGCO  
 General Bridge Foreman  
 Bureau of Public Works, Bataan

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August A. D., 1946, at Abucay, Bataan, Philippines.  
*Anastacio A. Valencia*  
 ANASTACIO A. VALENCIA  
 Mayor  
 Abucay, Bataan



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES )  
MUNICIPALITY OF DINALUPIHAN ) S. S .  
PROVINCE OF BATAAN )

A F F I D A V I T

That I, PACIFICO CALIMBAS, Filipino citizen, married, of legal age and resident of Orion, Bataan, but presently in Dinalupihan for this purpose, after having been duly sworn in accordance with law, depose and say:

That I am a Filipino by birth in the Municipality of Orion, Province of Bataan, and a Civil Engineer by profession; that before and on the outbreak of the Pacific War on December 7, 1941, I was being employed as Assistant Civil Engineer Supervising some public works projects being done by the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Balanga, Bataan, of the then Commonwealth Government, and that, therefore, with my compensation being chargeable to the project I held this position on a temporary basis; that a few days later when the U.S. Army in Bataan Peninsula was getting busy preparing the necessary defense to meet the impending Japanese invasion of the Peninsula, I reported myself for duty in the Army Service to one Major Pio Magsino of the 14th Engineering Corps, United States Engineering Department, who at that time was organizing and recruiting civilian laborers; that said Army Officer accepted me at a wage of FIVE PESOS (₱5.00) per day; that the first man I recruited was Emilio Baltazar, a high school teacher, who afterwards became our Mess and Ration Officer and on December 16, 1941, Major Pio Magsino, Emilio Baltazar and myself recruited and organized SIXTY (60) laborers including Amado Suratos, a school teacher as Time-Keeper-Foreman, to work in roads, trails, bridges and air fields and in other miscellaneous army jobs located in the Municipalities of Limay, Mariveles, Bagac and other places to which the civilian laborer gang might be needed; that the laborers were stationed in the school buildings in Orion, employed on a 24-hour basis whereby they were able to meet emergency jobs anytime of the day and night; that as the days passed until the time of final surrender of Bataan Peninsula on April 9, 1942, we had rendered our services as much as we could under the confused and risky condition then occurring, with enemy air raids and bombings growing worse each passing day.

That to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the following laborers who worked under the 14th Engineering Corps, U.S. Army, had rendered faithful, loyal and uninterrupted service from the time we were recruited on DECEMBER 16, 1941, up to the fall of Bataan Peninsula on April 9, 1942; that we had not received any payment of this service so far; and that the following were the names, position, wages and present addresses of the laborers:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
X 1. Emilio Baltazar	Mess & Ration Officer	₱2.50	Orion, Bataan
✓ 2. Amado Suratos Pro- 8106	Time-Keeper-Foreman	₱4.50	Balanga, "
X 3. Indalecio Tiambeng	Capataz-Foreman	4.50	Orion, Bataan
X 4. Estanislao Zulueta	Carpenter	2.00	" "
X 5. Felipe Layola	"	2.00	" "
X 6. Gregorio Tabija	"	2.00	" "
X 7. Ireneo Guzman	"	2.00	" "
X 8. Macario Facturan	"	2.00	" "
X 9. Domingo de Jesus	Cook	2.00	" "
X 10. Julian Lintag	Carpenter	2.00	" "
X 11. Salvador Lonzon	"	2.00	" "
X 12. Ireneo Rodriguez	"	2.00	" "
X 13. Valeriano Magat	"	2.00	" "
X 14. Bernardo Magat	"	2.00	" "
X 15. Guillermo Cruz	"	2.00	" "
X 16. Adriano Alarcon	"	2.00	" "
X 17. Marcelo Sabino	Cook	2.00	" "
X 18. Vicente Toteng	Carpenter	2.00	" "
X 19. Virgelio Reyes	"	2.00	" "
X 20. Miguel Balmaceda	"	2.00	" "

X 21. Pedro Valentus	Carpenter	P2.00	Orion, Bataan
X 22. Luis San Pedro	"	2.00	" "
X 23. Rogelio San Jose	"	2.00	" "
X 24. Ariston Angeles	"	2.00	" "
X 25. Pacifico Mateo	Laborer	1.20	" "
X 26. Rosendo Balmaceda	"	1.20	" "
X 27. Daminador Labrador	"	1.20	" "
X 28. Eliseo Teodoro	"	1.20	" "
X 29. Tomas Mendoza	"	1.20	" "
X 30. Manuel Valencia	"	1.20	" "
X 31. Ciriaco David	"	1.20	" "
X 32. Avelino Sabino	"	1.20	" "
X 33. Nicanor Buhay	"	1.20	" "
X 34. Primitivo Labrador	"	1.20	" "
X 35. Lorenzo Alarcon	"	1.20	" "
X 36. Arcadio Cristobal	"	1.20	" "
X 37. Joaquin Benjamin	"	1.20	" "
X 38. Clemente Punzalan	"	1.20	" "
X 39. Jose Santos	" <i>Pro-6205</i>	1.20	" "
X 40. Ricardo Vitangcol	"	1.20	" "
X 41. Alfredo Vitangcol	"	1.20	" "
X 42. Pedro Q. Cruz	"	1.20	" "
X 43. Francisco Q. Cruz	"	1.20	" "
X 44. Longino Dizon	"	1.20	" "
X 45. Ignacio Enriquez	"	1.20	" "
X 46. Marcelo Llanzon	"	1.20	" "
X 47. Mennicio Cruz	"	1.20	" "
X 48. Antonio Garcia	"	1.20	" "
X 49. Ricardo Calimbas	"	1.20	" "
X 50. Simplicio Bautista	"	1.20	" "
X 51. Mauro Cruz	"	1.20	" "
X 52. Romeo Reyes	"	1.20	" "
X 53. Simplicio Luna	"	1.20	" "
X 54. Gavino Evangelista	"	1.20	" "
X 55. Ezequiel Hernandez	"	1.20	" "
X 56. Eusebio Hernandez	"	1.20	" "
X 57. Andres Punzalan	"	1.20	" "
X 58. Esteban de la Rosa	"	1.20	" "
X 59. Jose Estrella	"	1.20	" "
X 60. Pastor Solomon	"	1.20	" "

That during the occupation of this country by the enemy I did not collaborate with the Japanese Government nor with his agents in any manner whatsoever and that these claims are just and free from fraud.

That the above-statement are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby affixed my signature this 10th day of October, 1946, in the Municipality of Dinalupihan, Bataan.

*Pacifico Calimbas*  
 PACIFICO CALIMBAS  
 Engineer in charge of the Unit

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 10 day of October, 1946, at the Municipality of Dinalupihan, Bataan, Philippines.



*Jose Payumo*  
 JOSE PAYUMO  
 Municipal Mayor of Dinalupihan, Bataan

Republic of the Philippines  
 Municipality of Balanga  
 Province of Bataan

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AFFIDAVIT

I, Herminio S. Tiangco, of legal age, married and resident of Pilar, Bataan, after being duly sworn to according to law, depose and say:

That on December 14, 1941 I was employed by Major Pio Magsino of the 14th. Engineer Corps of the U.S. Army then operating in Bataan together with Mr. Delfin Febre, our engineer in charge and Mr. Lope Calimbas to recruit civilians and organize them in a labor corp or gang for the purpose of assisting in construction jobs and repair pertaining to the military defense of Bataan. That on December 16, 1941 the labor corp was organized with the following men:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>SALARY</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
X1. Delfin Febre	-- Engineer in Charge	- P5.00	-Balanga, Bataan
X2. Herminio S. Tiangco	- Foreman ---	4.50	-Pilar, Bataan
X3. Lope Calimbas	-- Ration Officer	- 2.50	-Orion, Bataan
X4. Arcadio Herrera	-- Capataz	- 2.50	-Pilar, Bataan
X5. Mariano Reyes	-- "	- 2.50	- " "
X6. Maximo de Guzman	-- " <u>Pro. 7997</u>	- 2.50	- " "
X7. Rufino Peña	-- Carpenter	- 2.00	- " "
X8. Francisco Tolentino	"	- 2.00	- " "
X9. Eugenio Cruz	-- "	- 2.00	- " "
X10. Geronimo Paguio	-- "	- 2.00	- " "
X11. Amando Pizarro	-- "	- 2.00	- " "
X12. Deogracias Pizarro	"	- 2.00	- " "
X13. Manuel Pizarro	-- "	- 2.00	- " "
X14. Pedro Muñoz	-- Laborer	- 1.20	- " "
X15. Melanio Viray	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X16. Anastacio Bautista	"	- 1.20	- " "
X17. Zosimo Pizarro	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X18. Leonardo Alfuentes	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X19. Alberto Rodrigo	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X20. Jose Mendoza	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X21. Federico Cruz	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X22. Conrado Crisostomo	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X23. Clodualdo Paguio	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X24. Melecio Paguio	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X25. Pedro Cruz	-- " <u>Pro. 5069</u>	- 1.20	- " "
X26. Ricardo Gatdula	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X27. Alfredo Basilio	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X28. Benigno Basilio	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X29. Conrado Basilio	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X30. Alfonso Salomon	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X31. Conrado Salomon	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X32. Maximo Lopez	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X33. Pedro Alvarez	-- "	- 1.20	- " "
X34. Conrado de la Rosa	-- "	- 1.20	- " "

X35.	Manuel Sangalang	--	Laborer	--	₱ 1.20	--	Pilar, Bataan
X36.	Angeles Diego	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X37.	Felicisimo Valderrama	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X38.	Dominador Hernandez	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X39.	David Sangalang	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X40.	Francisco de Leon	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X41.	Arsenio Roman	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X42.	Felipe Llamzon	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X43.	Francisco T. Perez	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X44.	Venerable Cruz	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X45.	Florentino Bugay	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X46.	Fidel de Leon	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X47.	Anastacio de Leon	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X48.	Federico de la Cruz	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X49.	Angelino Artuz	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X50.	Alfredo Cruz	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X51.	Ceriacio Perez	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X52.	Simplicio Evangelista	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X53.	Ricardo Sacdalan	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X54.	Benjamin Cruz	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X55.	Leonardo Jayme	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X56.	Alberto Artuz	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X57.	Marcelino Villazor	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X58.	Mamerto Aranas	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X59.	Alberto Jaime	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X60.	David S. Reyes	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X61.	Francisco C. Perez	--	" <u>Pro-8000</u>	--	1.20	--	" "
X62.	Francisco Cruz	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X63.	Arturo Gatdula	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X64.	Crispin Sacdalan	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X65.	Julian Calimbas	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X66.	Guillermo Aranas	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X67.	Leopoldo Aranas	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X68.	Felipe Gatdula	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X69.	Manuel Herrera	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X70.	Amadeo Herrera	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X71.	Irenio Paguio	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X72.	Daniel Borromeo	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X73.	Generoso Herrera	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "
X74.	Mariano Concepcion	--	"	--	1.20	--	" "

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That this organization was stationed in the elementary school building of Pilar, Bataan, where they stayed 24 hours of the day, cooked their meals, and transported there from to place of work.

That this group of laborers worked in the Ibayo Diversion road in Balanga, the construction of U. S. Army air field in Calañgusan, Orion and along the military installations along the Balanga - Bagac road.

That to the best of my knowledge and belief I certify that these laborers had been employed under military control and supervision continuously from December 16, 1941 to April 9, 1942; and that the Army was not able to pay anyone of these laborers.

In witness whereof I hereby affix my signature this 22nd. day of October, 1946, in Balanga, Bataan.

*Herminio S. Tiangco*  
HERMINIO S. TIANGCO  
Foreman of the Labor Corp.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd. day of October, 1946 at Balanga, Bataan.

*Jose N. Gonzales*  
JOSE N. GONZALES  
Municipal Mayor of  
Balanga, Bataan.



<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1. Bugay, Andres	Capataz	Balanga, Bataan
2. Cuevas, Simeon	Cook	" "
3. Diwa, Estanislao	Capataz	" "
4. Enriquez, Antonio	"	" "
5. Escalada, Pablo	"	" "
6. Florendo, Ignacio	"	Moron, Bataan
7. Gonzales Sr., Jose	"	Balanga, Bataan
8. Gonzales, Jr., Jose	"	" "
9. Gonzales, Pablo D.	"	" "
10. Marco, Mariano	Foreman	" "
11. Paguio, Aurelio	Timekeeper	" "
12. Palma, Jose	Mess Officer	" "
13. Quindoy, Cipriano	Capataz	" "
14. Robles, Urbano	"	" "
15. Rodriguez, Catalino	"	" "
16. Tiangco, Ignacio	"	" "
17. Velasco, Luis	"	Moron, Bataan
18. Velasco, Mariano	"	" "

LABORERS OF THE U. S. A., 14TH ENGINEERS

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1. Agcañile, Mariano	Laborer	₱ 1.20	Moron, Bataan
2. Agnena, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	Moron, Bataan
3. Agripino, Fausto	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
4. Aguilar, Candido	"	"	" "
5. Aguilar, Herminio	"	"	" "
6. Almario, Apolonio	"	"	Pilar, Bataan
7. Almario, Francisco	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
8. Almario, Miguel	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
9. Alonzo, Alberto	"	"	" "
10. Alonzo, Enrique	"	"	" "
11. Alonzo, Manuel	"	"	" "
12. Alvarado, Alberto	"	"	" "
13. Alvarado, Alberto	"	"	Moron, Bataan
14. Alvarado, Enrigoito	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
15. Ancaya, Enrique	"	"	Moron, Bataan
16. Apostol, Catalino	"	"	" "
17. Austria, Alfredo	"	"	" "
18. Austria, Andres	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
19. Atienza, Ireneo	"	"	" "
20. Baluyot, Irineo	"	"	" "
21. Bangco, Mariano	"	"	Moron, Bataan
22. Bangco, Ricardo	"	"	Moron, Bataan
23. Banzon, Francisco	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
24. Bernabe, Mariano	"	"	" "

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<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
25. Bernabe, Venancio	Laborer	₱ 1.20	Balanga, Bataan
26. Bien, Lorenzo	"	"	" "
27. Buenaventura, Jacinto	"	"	Bagac, Bataan
28. Bugay, Domingo	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
29. Bugay, Felix	"	"	Moron, Bataan
30. Bugay, Florentino	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
31. Caguiwa, Celedonio	"	"	" "
32. Calimbas, Cosme	"	"	" "
33. Calma, Gaudencio	"	"	" "
✓ 34. Calma, Prudencio	"	"	Moron, Bataan
35. Canare, Hermogenes	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
36. Cason, David	"	"	" "
37. Castro, Lauro	"	"	Bugallon, Pangasinan
38. Castro, Marcelino	"	"	" "
39. Castro, Marcelo	"	"	Moron, Bataan
40. Cervanto, Heraldo	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
41. Craiz, Crisanto	"	"	" "
✓ 42. Cruz, Apolonio	"	"	" "
43. Cruz, Domingo	"	"	Moron, Bataan
44. Cruz, Gregorio	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
45. Cruz, Leonardo	"	"	" "
46. Cruz, Maximo	"	"	" "
47. Cruz, Pedrito	"	"	" "
48. Cuevas, Angel	"	"	" "

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49. Cuevas, Leon	Laborer	₱ 1.20	Balanga, Bataan
50. Dacon, Florentino	"	"	Moron, Bataan
51. David, Dominador	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
52. De Jesus, Domingo	"	"	" "
53. Dela Cruz, Angel	"	"	" "
54. Dela Cruz, Eugenio	"	"	" "
55. Dela Cruz, Federico	"	"	" "
56. Dela Cruz, Isidro	"	"	" "
57. Dela Cruz, Teofilo	"	"	Bugallon, Pangasinan
58. Dela Peña, Federico	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
59. Dela Peña, Luis	"	"	Pilar, Bataan
60. Dela Rosa, Conrado	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
61. Dela Torre, Loreto	"	"	Moron, Bataan
62. Dela Torre, Loreto	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
63. De Leon, Alejandro	"	"	" "
64. De Leon, Ismael	"	"	" "
65. De Leon, Ricardo	"	"	" "
66. De Leon, Venancio	"	"	" "
67. De Leon, Victor	"	"	" "
68. De Leon, Victor	"	"	Pilar, Bataan
69. Del Mundo, Alfredo	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
70. De los Dalerio, Andres	"	"	Moron, Bataan

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71. De los Reyes, Prudencio	Laborer	₱ 1.30	Balanga, Bataan
72. Del Rosario, Jose	"	"	" "
73. Del Rosario, Pascual	"	"	" "
74. Del Rosario, Romulo	"	"	" "
75. Dilig, Amado	"	"	" "
76. Dilig, Benito	"	"	Pilar, Bataan
77. Dilig, Exequiel	"	"	" "
78. Diwa, Felimon	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
79. Diwa, Felimon	"	"	Moron, Bataan
80. Dizon, Florentino	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
81. Dizon, Florentino	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
82. Dizon, Pedro	"	"	" "
83. Dizon, Pedro	"	"	" "
84. Dizon, Rodolfo	"	"	" "
85. Domingo, Eulalio	"	"	Moron, Bataan
86. Ducan, Jacinto	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
87. Eliano, Juanito	"	"	Moron, Bataan
88. Ellano, Guillermo	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
89. Enriquez, Antonio	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
90. Eraiz, Mariano	"	"	" "
91. Escalada, Almario	"	"	" "
92. Escalada, Jose	"	"	" "
93. Escalada, Pablito	"	"	Moron, Balanga
94. Escalada, Pedro	"	"	Balanga, Bataan

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<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
95. Escalona, Eliseo	Laborer	₱ 1.20	Balanga, Bataan
96. Escodero, Carlos	"	"	" "
97. Escodero, Ernesto	"	"	" "
98. Eugenio, Gonzalo	"	"	Moron, Bataan
99. Evangelista, Jose	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
100. Evangelista, Valentin	"	"	" "
101. Florendo, Aurelio	"	"	Moron, Bataan
102. Flores, Candido	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
103. Florendo, Ciriaco	"	"	Moron, Bataan
104. Florendo, Enrique	"	"	Moron, Rizal
105. Florendo, Pedro	"	"	Moron, Bataan
106. Gabaya, Remigio	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
107. Gabriel, Ramon	"	"	" "
108. Gabriel, Ramon	"	"	Moron, Bataan
109. Garcia, Ciriaco	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
110. Garcia, Felipe	"	"	Moron, Bataan
111. Garcia, Fernando	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
112. Garcia, Juan	"	"	" "
113. Gatdula, Emiliano	"	"	Pilar, Bataan
114. Genete, Fortunato	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
115. Gonzalez, Edilberto	"	"	Moron, Bataan
116. Gregorio, Antonio	"	"	Balanga, Bataan
117. Guela, Amado	"	"	" "
118. Guevarra, Amando	"	"	" "

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119. Guzman, Ambrosio	Laborer	₱1.20	Balanga, Bataan
120. Guzman, Pedro	"	"	Moron, Bataan

HEADQUARTERS  
 PHILIPPINES-RYUKYUS COMMAND  
 OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF CLAIMS SERVICE

LABOR BN ORGANIZED BY ADRIANO DE LA CRUZ  
 ON DECEMBER 16, 1941 - 14th ENGINEERS

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Name	Position	Salary	Address	201	P D
Henarez, Alejandro	Laborer	₱1.20	Moron, Bataan	—	—
Henarez, Alfredo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Henarez, Macario	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Henarez, Perfecto	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Herrera, Gregorio	Laborer	1.20	Balanga, "	—	—
Herrera, Mateo	Laborer	1.208	" "	—	—
Inlong, Jose	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Isidro, Francisco	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Jaime, Gregorio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Labitan, Alejandro	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Linao, Amado	Laborer	1.20	Balanga, "	—	—
Linao, Guillermo	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Lopez, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Maglake, Nazario	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Maglati, Prmitivo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Magpoc, Petronilo	Laborer	1.20	Moron, "	—	—
Manalo, Zozimo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Manalantao, Camilo	Laborer	1.20	Balanga, "	—	—
Manding, Valentin 8	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Mangalendon, Arcadio	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Manlapid, Felix	Laborer	1.20	Balanga, "	—	—
Maragalo, Benjamin	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Marcilang, Exequiel	Laborer	1.20	Pilar "	—	—
Marco, Cesar	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Marco, Ciriaco	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Margallo, Bayani	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—



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Mariano, Roman	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan	—	—
Medina, Gervacio	Laborer	1.20	Moron, "	—	—
Medina, Jacinto	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Medina, Juanito	Laborer	1.20	Balanga, "	—	—
Mendoza, Gregorio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, "	—	—
Mendoza, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	Balanga, "	—	—
Montejermoso, Juan	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Morogate, Nicanor	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, "	—	—
Narciso, Esteban	Laborer	1.20	Bagac "	—	—
Nazareno, Alfredo	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Nazareno, Ariston	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Nava, Eleno 8	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, "	—	—
Nava, Carlito	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Naval, Federico	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Nava, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, "	—	—
Noceda, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Nunez, Romualdo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—

LABOR BN ORGANIZED BY ADRIANO DE  
 LA CRUZ ON DECEMBER 16, 1941 - 14th ENGRS

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N a m e	Position	Salary	Address	201	P D
Paguio, Amado	Laborer	₱1.20	Balanga, Bataan	—	—
Paguio, Pacifico	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Paguio, Santiago	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Pajares, Lorenzo	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Pascual, Ananias	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Pardillo, Miguel	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Pascasio, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Pastillon, Pascual	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Perez, Alfonso	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Perez, Antonio	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Perez, Bernadito	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Perez, Domingo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Perez, Mariano	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Perez, Mariano	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Perez, Nicanor	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Perez, Zozimo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Pozon, Jacinto	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Quinlot, Vicente	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Quintero, Paterno	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Quintos, Deogracias	Laborer	1.20	Orion, "	—	—
Quista, Apolonio	Laborer	1.20	Balanga, "	—	—
Ramirez, Cosme	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Ramirez, Pacifico	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Ramos, Julian	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Rangco, Jesus	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Recarpo, Magno	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Renoso, Jose	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Reyes, Arsenio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, "	—	—

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Reyes, Francisco	Laborer	Pl.20	Balanga, Bataan	—	—
Reyes, Jose	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Reyes, Serapio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar	—	—
Reyes, Tomas	Laborer	1.20	Balanga	—	—
Rivera, Eligio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Rivera, Eulogio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Robles, Antonio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Robles, Francisco	Laborer	1.20	Balanga	—	—
Robles, Leon	Laborer	1.20	Balanga	—	—
Robles, Pantaleon	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Rosauro, Jose	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Rusio, Gaudencio	Laborer	1.20	Moron	—	—
Sanchez, Conrado	Laborer	1.20	Balanga	—	—
Sanchez, Jose (deceased)	Laborer	1.20	Pilar	—	—
Sanchez, Luis	Laborer	1.20	Balanga	—	—
Sanchez, Teodoro	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Santos, Antonio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Santos, Evaristo	Laborer	1.20	" ?"	—	—
Santiago, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Savedra, Ciriaco	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Seperiano, Emilio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Serrano, Gregorio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Serrano, Vicente	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Silverio, Jose	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Silvino, Angel	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Sulange, Florencio	Laborer	1.20	Moron	—	—
Tamoro, Boinor	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Tamoro, Federico	Laborer	1.20	Balanga	—	—
Tiangco, Arcadio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Tigas, Alfredo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Tolentino, David	Laborer	1.20	Pilar	—	—

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Tolentino, Inan	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan	—	—
Tolindon, Dominador	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Torrigo, Delfin	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Torrigo, Gonzalo	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Torrigo, Macario	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Torrigo, Mariano	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Torrigo, Miguel	Laborer	1.20	Pilar "	—	—
Torrigo, Refaldo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Tregero, Benito	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Tria, Vidal	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Tuazon, Felipe	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Tuazon, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar "	—	—
Valdecanas, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Valdez, Antonio	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Valdez, Bienvenido	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Valdez, Cayetano	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Valdez, Daradio	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Valdez, Primo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Valdez, Zozimo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Velasco, Angel	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Velasco, Edgardo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar "	—	—
Velasco, Gregorio	Laborer	1.20	Moron "	—	—
Velasco, Timoteo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Velasco, Timoteo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Villanueva, Dominador	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Vitangcol, Pacifico	Laborer	1.20	Orion "	—	—
Zalomea, Bernardo	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—
Zalomea, Leocadio	Laborer	1.20	Balanga "	—	—

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LABOR BN ORGANIZED BY MARIANO G. RAMIREZ  
 ON 12 DECEMBER 1941 - 14th ENGINEERS

<u>A to G</u>	COMPANY B				
Name	Position	Salary	Address	201	P D
Acuna, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	Orani, Bataan	—	—
Aderneido, Moises	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Aranas, Simplicio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Arellano, Luis	Asst. Station and Timekeeper	2.00	" "	—	—
Avela, Dionisio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Bautista, Abraham	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Bautista, Nicanor	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Buenaventura, Bernabe	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Cahilig, Leopoldo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Canare, Mariano	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Candido, Mauricio	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Canlas, Alejo	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Canlas, Domingo	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
Corpus, Jose	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
Cruz, Anastacio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Cruz, Emilio	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
Cruz, Isaias	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Cruz, Macario	Mason	2.00	" "	—	—
Cruz, Ricardo	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
David, Potenciano	Asst. Cook	1.50	" "	—	—
De Leon, Feliciano	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
De Leon, Lazaro	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Dominguez, Democrito	Timekeeper	2.50	Samal	"	—
Dominguez, Marcial	Laborer	1.20	Orani	"	—
Exala, Jose	Carpenter	1.50	Orani	"	—

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LABOR BN ORGANIZED BY MARIANO G. RAMIREZ ON 12 DEC 1941

14th Engineers  
 Company B

Name	Position	Salary	Address	201	PD
Feliciano, Hilberto	Carpenter	₱ 1.50	Orani, Bataan	—	—
Fermin, Vicente	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Fernandez, Braulio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Fernando, Ignacio	Capataz	2.50	" "	—	—
Galicia, Juan	Cook	2.00	" "	—	—
Galicia, Wenceslao	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Galit, Agapito	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—

H to N

Name	Position	Salary	Address	201	PD
Isidro, Simon	Laborer	₱ 1.20	Orani, Bataan	—	—
Jorge, Federico	Mason	1.50	" "	—	—
Lazarte, Eugenio	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
Laureano, Cornelio	Capataz	2.50	" "	—	—
Magpoc, Gregorio	Painter	1.50	" "	—	—
Nuguid, Antero	Mason	2.00	" "	—	—

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Name	Position	Salary	Address	201	PD
Pena, Gregorio	Mason	₱ 1.50	Orani, Bataan	—	—
Pili, Guillermo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Quiambao, Claro	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
Quiambao, Emilio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Quiambao, Silva	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Quintin, Jose	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Ramirez, Mariano G.	Foreman	4.50	" "	—	—

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Labor Bn Organized by Mariano G. Ramirez on 12 Dec 1941  
 14th Engineers Company B

Name	Position	Salary	Address	201	FD
Ramos, Conrado	Laborer	1.20	Orani, Bataan	—	—
Ramos, Sardenos	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Reyes, Castor	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Reyes, Francisco	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
Reyes, Francisco	Blecksmit h	2.00	" "	—	—
Reyes, Manuel	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Reyes, Segundino	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Reyes, Severino	Mason	2.00	" "	—	—
Roberto, Guillermo	Carpenter	2.00	" "	—	—
Ronquillo, Teodoro	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Roque, Anselmo	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Roque, Fliemino	Painter	1.50	" "	—	—
Roque, Tomas	Painter	1.50	" "	—	—
Rueda, Delfin	Foreman	4.50	Balanga, "	—	—
Salazar, Juanito	Painter	1.50	Orani "	—	—
Salonga, Melencio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Santos, Adriano	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Santos, Enrique	Carpenter	1.50	" "	—	—
Santos, Francisco	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Santos, Isaies	Mason	1.50	" "	—	—
Sevilla, Fidel	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Tiongson, Eulogio	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Valencia, Angel	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Venlusa, Domingo	Laborer	1.20	" "	—	—
Vianzon, Marcial	Painter	1.50	" "	—	—

CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS HQS PERSONNEL INCLUDING  
SQUADRON NOS. 1 & 2

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>
1. Agranum, Jose	Carpenter	₱1.40
2. Alba, Conrado	Laborer	1.00
3. Alba, Manuel	Carpenter (Helper)	1.20
4. Alba, Marcelo	Laborer	1.00
5. Angeles, Guillermo	Ass. Chief Cook	1.20
6. Angeles, Ramon	Laborer	1.00
7. Baluyot, Adriano	Carpenter (Helper)	1.20
8. Baluyot, Eliseo	Laborer	1.00
9. Baluyot, Jaime	Cook Helper	1.10
10. Baluyot, Santos	Cook Helper	1.10
11. Baluyot, Simeon	Laborer	1.00
12. Baluyot, Tomas	Chief Cook	1.20
13. Bautista, Jose	Timekeeper & Ration Off.	2.00
14. Camacho, Amando	Carpenter Helper	1.20
15. Camacho, Jose	Houseboy	1.00
16. Canare, Santos	Laborer	1.00
17. Carlos, Alejandro	<u>SQUADRON NO. 2</u> Capataz	1.80
18. Carraig, Carlito	Laborer	1.00
19. Cornel, Alfonso	Laborer	1.00
20. Cruz, Felimon	Laborer	1.00
21. Cunanan, Alfonso	Laborer	1.00
22. Cunanan, Lamberto	Laborer	1.00
23. Danque, Benigno	Laborer	1.00



CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS HQS PERSONNEL INCLUDING  
SQUADRON NOS. 1 & 2

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>
24. Danque, Patricio	Laborer	₱1.00
25. De Guzman, Jaime	Laborer	1.00
26. De la Rosa, Avelino	Laborer	1.00
27. De la Rosa, Nicanor	Laborer	1.00
28. Del Pinado, Rufino	Laborer	1.00
29. De Mesa, Gregorio	Carpenter	1.30
30. Enriquez, Melquiades	Laborer	1.00
31. Escortin, Felix	Carpenter Helper	1.20
32. Flores, Bruno	Laborer	1.00
33. Flores, Roque	Laborer	1.00
34. Guanzon, Prudencio	Carpenter Helper	1.20
34. Gumol, Petronilo	Laborer	1.00
35. Griva, Oscar	Laborer	1.00
36. Guevarra, Celestino	Carpenter Helper	1.20
37. Ibarra, Felipe	Carpenter Helper	1.20
38. Izon, Eusebio	Carpenter Helper	1.20
39. Izon, Marcelo	Cook Helper	1.10
40. Legaspi, Benjamin	Laborer	1.00
41. Malibunaz, Jose	Laborer	1.00
42. Malimban, Antero	Carpenter Helper	1.20
43. Mallari, Antonio	Laborer	1.00
44. Manlapid, Baltazar	Laborer	1.00
45. Margenio, Reynaldo	Laborer	1.00

CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS HQS PERSONNEL INCLUDING  
SQUADRON NOS. 1 & 2

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>
46. Matacot, Gregorio	Laborer	1.00
47. Niva, Anacleto	Carpenter Helper	1.20
48. Muñoz, Arcadio	Laborer	1.00
49. Navarro, Ramon	Asst. Chief of Personnel	1.20
50. Olaya, Rosendo	Laborer	1.00
51. Olmo, Manuel	Laborer	1.00
52. Ongkingco, Luciano W.	Asst. Chief, Personnel	1.20

CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS HQS ABUCAY ELEM. SCHOOL

53. Ongkingco, Vicente L.	Foreman	5.00
54. Ongoco, Cenon	Carpenter Helper	1.20
55. Pajarin, Maximiano	Laborer	1.00
56. Pascual, Mariano	Laborer	1.00
57. Pruna, Marcos	Carpenter Helper	1.20
58. Rinoso, Ireneo	Head Carpenter	1.50
59. Salandanan, Mauricio	Carpenter Helper	1.20
60. Salandanan, Raymundo	<u>SQUADRON NO. 1</u> Capataz	1.80
61. Tagle, Timoteo	Laborer	1.00
62. Tanega, Maximino	Carpenter	1.40
63. Tengongciang, Isabelo	Head Carpenter	1.50
64. Trajano, Reynaldo	Laborer	1.00
65. Tria, Damaso	Laborer	1.00
66. Tria, Valente	Cook Helper	1.10

CIVILIAN LABOR CORPS, HQS ABUCAY ELEM. SCHOOL

SQUADRON NO. 1

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>
67. Valentos, Alberto	Laborer	₱1.00
68. Valentos, Aurelio	Houseboy	1.00
69. Valerio, Victorino	Carpenter Helper	1.20

LIST OF LABORERS OF THE 14TH ENGINEERS

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1. Alarcon, Adriano	Carpenter	₱2.00	Orion, Bataan
2. Alarcon, Lorenzo	Laborer	1.20	" "
3. Angeles, Ariston	Carpenter	2.00	" "
4. Balmaceda, Miguel	Carpenter	2.00	" "
5. Balmaceda, Rosendo	Laborer	1.20	" "
6. Baltazar, Emilio	Mess & Ration Off.	2.50	" "
7. Bautista, Simplicio	Laborer	1.20	" "
8. Benjamin, Joaquin	Laborer	1.20	" "
9. Buhay, Nicanor	Laborer	1.20	" "
10. Calimbas, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	" "
11. Cristobal, Arcadio	Laborer		
12. Cruz, Francisco Q.	Laborer	1.20	" "
13. Cruz, Guillermo	Carpenter	2.00	" "
14. Cruz, Mauricio	Laborer	1.20	" "
15. Cruz, Mauro	Laborer	1.20	" "
16. Cruz, Pedro Q.	Laborer	1.20	" "
17. David, Ciriaco	Laborer	1.20	" "
18. De Jesus, Domingo	Cook	2.00	" "
19. De la Rosa, Esteban	Laborer	1.20	" "
20. Dizon, Longino	Laborer	1.20	" "
21. Enríquez, Imedio	Laborer	1.20	" "
22. Evangelista, Gavino	Laborer	1.20	" "

LIST OF LABORERS OF THE 14TH ENGINEERS

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
23. Estrella, Jose	Laborer	₱1.20	Orion, Bataan
24. Facturan, Macario	Carpenter	2.00	" "
25. Garcia, Antonio	Laborer	1.20	" "
26. Guzman, Ireneo	Carpenter	2.00	" "
27. Hernandez, Eusebio	Laborer	1.20	" "
28. Hernandez, Exequiel	Laborer	1.20	" "
29. Labrador, Dominador	Laborer	1.20	" "
30. Labrador, Primitivo	Laborer	1.20	" "
31. Layola, Felipe	Carpenter	2.00	" "
32. Lintoy, Julian	Carpenter	2.00	" "
33. Llamzon, Marcelo	Laborer	1.20	" "
34. Lonzon, Salvador	Carpenter	2.00	" "
35. Luna, Simplicio	Laborer	1.20	" "
36. Magat, Bernardo	Carpenter	2.00	" "
37. Magat, Valeriano	Carpenter	2.00	" "
38. Mateo, Pacifico	Laborer	1.20	" "
39. Mendoza, Tomas	Laborer	1.20	" "
40. Punzalan, Andres	Laborer	1.20	" "
41. Punzalan, Clemente	Laborer	1.20	" "
42. Reyes, Romero	Laborer	1.20	" "
43. Reyes, Virgilio	Carpenter	2.00	" "
44. Rodriguez, Ireneo	Carpenter	2.00	" "

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<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
45. Sabino, Avelino	Laborer	₱1.20	Orion, Bataan
46. Sabino, Marcelo	Cook	2.00	" "
47. Santos, Jose	Laborer	1.20	" "
48. San Jose, Rogelio	Carpenter	2.00	" "
49. San Pedro, Luis	Carpenter	2.00	" "
50. Solomon, Pastor	Laborer	1.20	" "
51. Suratus, Amado	Timekeeper Foreman	4.50	Balanga, Bataan
52. Tabye, Gregorio	Carpenter	2.00	Orion, Bataan
53. Teodoro, Eliseo	Laborer	1.20	" "
54. Tiambeng, Indolecio	Capataz-Foreman	4.50	" "
55. Toteng, Vicente	Carpenter	2.00	" "
56. Valencia, Manuel	Laborer	1.20	" "
57. Valentus, Pedro	Carpenter	2.00	" "
58. Vitangcol, Alfredo	Laborer	1.20	" "
59. Vitangcol, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	" "
60. Zulueta, Estanislao	Carpenter		" "

LABORERS OF THE 14TH ENGINEERS UNDER MESSRS. DELFIN FEBRE  
AND LOPE CALIMEAS

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
1. Aranas, Leopoldo	Laborer	₱1.20	Pilar, Bataan
2. Aranas, Guillermo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
3. Aranas, Mamerto	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
4. Artuz, Alberto	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
5. Artuz, Angelino	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
6. Alvarez, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
7. Alfuentes, Leonardo	Laborer	2.00	Pilar, Bataan
8. Borromeo, Daniel	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
9. Bugay, Florention	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
10. Basilio, Conrado	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
11. Basilio, Benigno	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
12. Basilio, Alfredo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
13. Bautista, Anastacio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
14. Concepcion, Mariano	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
15. Calibabas, Julian	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
16. Cruz, Francisco	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
17. Cruz, Benjamin	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
18. Cruz, Alfredo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
19. Cruz, Venerable	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
20. Cruz, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
21. Crisostomo, Conrado	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
22. Cruz, Federico	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan

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AND LOPE CALIBAS

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
23. Cruz, Eugenio	Carpenter	₱2.00	Pilar, Bataan
24. Calibas, Lope	Rational Officer	2.50	Orion, Bataan
25. De la Cruz, Federico	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
26. De Leon, Anastacio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
27. De Leon, Fidel	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
28. De Leon, Francisco	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
29. Diego, Angeles	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
30. De la Rosa, Conrado	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
31. De Guzman, Maximo	Carpenter	2.50	Pilar, Bataan
32. Evangelista, Simplicio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
33. Febre, Delfin	Engineer in charge	5.00	Balanga, Bataan
34. Gatdula, Felipe	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
35. Gatdula, Arturo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
36. Gatdula, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
37. Herrera, Generoso	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
38. Herrera, Amadeo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
39. Herrera, Manuel	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
40. Hernandez, Dominador	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
41. Herrera, Arcadio	Carpenter	2.50	Pilar, Bataan
42. Jaime, Alberto	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
43. Jayme, Leonardo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
44. Llanzon, Felipe	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan



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AND LOPE CALIMBAS

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
45. Mendoza, Jose	Laborer	₱1.20	Pilar, Bataan
46. Muñoz, Pedro	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
47. Paguio, Ireneo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
48. Perez, Francisco C.	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
49. Perez, Francisco T.	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
50. Paguio, Melecio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
51. Paguio Clodualdo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
52. Pizarro, Zozimo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
53. Pizarro, Manuel	Carpenter	2.00	Pilar, Bataan
54. Pizarro, Amando	Carpenter	2.00	Pilar, Bataan
55. Paguio, Geronimo	Carpenter	2.00	Pilar, Bataan
56. Peña, Rufino	Carpenter	2.50	Pilar, Bataan
57. Reyes, David S.	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
58. Reyes, Ciriaco	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
59. Roman, Arsenio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
60. Rodrigo, Alberto	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
61. Reyes, Mariano	Carpenter	2.50	Pilar, Bataan
62. Sacdalan, Crispin	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
63. Sacdalan, Ricardo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
64. Sangalang, David	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
65. Sangalang, Manuel	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
66. Salomon, Conrado	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan

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AND LOPE CALIMBAS

<u>CLAIMANT</u>	<u>DESIGNATION</u>	<u>DAILY WAGE</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
67. Solomon, Alfonso	Laborer	₱1.20	Pilar, Bataan
68. Tolentino, Francisco	Carpenter	2.00	Pilar, Bataan
69. Tiangco, Herminio S.	Foreman	4.50	Pilar, Bataan
70. Villazon, Marcelino	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
71. Valderama, Felicisimo	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan
72. Viray, Melanio	Laborer	1.20	Pilar, Bataan

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES )  
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A F F I D A V I T

I, VIRGILIO J. ONGOCO, Filipino of legal age, residing at 740 Estrada, Sampaloc, Manila, and presently employed by the Hqs. GMEED, after having been first duly sworn on oath, deposes and say:

That on 18 June 1946, I called at the office of Claims Service, AFMESPAC, for conference with Captain Benjamin J. Pulley. Captain Pulley asked me to verify the affidavit that I made in support of my wage claims, Pro-3975 for wages due me on services rendered from 1 December 1941 to 4 January 1942, while working with the Civilian Labor Corps, 14th Engineers, U. S. Army, at Dinalupihan, Bataan.

I have carefully studied this affidavit, and on this date, I still attest to its accuracy and swear to the validity of its allegations. I further state that I do not know the whereabouts of Mr. Pedro P. Talastag for I have not seen him since he ceased working for the 14th Engineers, the later part of December 1941. I would like to point out that the following <sup>men</sup> named/were under my supervision until 4 January 1942, and that after that date, together with these men, I escaped to the hills and no one of us were further employed by any U. S. Government Agency from then until the end of the war in 1942.

Vicente Santos	Macario Calma
Jose Duero	Roberto Reyes
Miguel Marcelino	Rufino de Leon
Alfredo Enriquez	Simeon Payumo
Manuel Gloria	Federico Reyes
Federico Gamboa	Macario de Leon
Ricardo Rosas	Francisco Pantig

On 23 April 1946, I was at Dinalupihan, Bataan, and at that time, I saw all men whose names were listed above. They made endeavors to intimidate me in favor of the claims that they had filed with the Claims Service, AFMESPAC. That at the time of this visit, I mentioned that I had a claim registered with the Claims Service, AFMESPAC, for the period from 1 December 1941 to 4 January 1942, at which time, all the men listed hereon explained that they too, had filed claims with the Claims Service, AFMESPAC,

but for the period of from 18 December 1941 to 9 April 1942 and I should try to execute a new affidavit to coincide with the period of their claims.

I refused any suggestion on their part and I feel that the claims of these men are in no way justified, and that their claims are fraudulent.

I swear that the above statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Virgilio J. Ongoco*  
/ VIRGILIO J. ONGOCO

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 22nd day of June 1946, at  
Manila, Philippines.

*Benjamin J. Pulley*  
BENJAMIN J. PULLEY  
CAPTAIN, INF,  
Investigating Officer.

COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES )  
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A F F I D A V I T

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I have carefully studied this affidavit, and on this date, I still attest to its accuracy and swear to the validity of its allegations. I further state that I do not know the whereabouts of Mr. Pedro P. Talastas for I have not seen him since he ceased working for the 14th Engineers, the later part of December 1941. I would like to point out that the following named men were under my supervision until 4 January 1942, and that after that date, together to these men, I escaped to the hills and no one of us were further employed by any U S. Government Agency from then until the end of the war in 1942.

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/c/ BENJAMIN J. PULLEY  
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HEADQUARTERS  
509th TC TRUCK COMPANY (PS)  
SUB BASE "R"

A.P.O. 1009  
24 April 1947

C E R T I F I C A T E

I certify that during and after the war, 8 December 1941 to 9 April 1942, I was the First Sergeant of Company "A" 14th Engineer (PS). That the Company was engaged on the following missions:

Combat Team (attached to the 57th Infantry Combat Team)  
Road Maintenance (Mariveles - Saysa-in)  
Issuing war materials to the front.  
Construction of obstacles  
Planting mines (Land)  
Engaged in withdrawal action until the surrender

That from 10 December 1941 to 12 December 1941 this company was stationed in Bo. Dila Dila, Sta. Rita, Pampanga, awaiting orders. Ordered and transferred to Bo. San Juan, Guagua, Pampanga. Was detailed Road Maintenance and Traffic from San Fernando to Hermosa from 13 December 1941 to 28 December 1941. Then from 29 December 1941 to 22 January 1942 was stationed in Bo. Bani, Balanga, Bataan. Was detailed on Road Maintenance, construction of bridges and Back Roads and planting mines (land). Two (2) Platoons were detailed and attached to the 57th Infantry for clearing firing line (night operation) at Mabatang Front.

That the Company on or about 22 January 1942 to 29 January 1942 was stationed at Patoc Trail, Orion, Bataan. Was on reconnaissance job and to apprehend stragglers.

Then that on 30 January 1942 to 24 February 1942 the company was stationed in Biaan River. Was on road maintenance from Little Baguio to Saysayin, Bataan, construction of obstacles (trenches and barbed wire) and planting mines (land).

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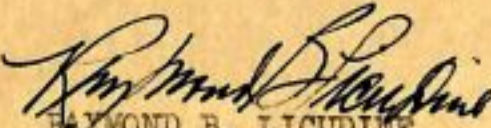
That there were civilians laborers on road maintenance and other miscellaneous jobs under Enlisted key Men and Retired Philippine Scouts. That supplies and materials were taken from different supply points and dump points. That on some of these jobs and works, I used to inspect. That I knew there were capataces and foremen (civilians) but didn't have the chance to get acquainted or remember their names. Some of the Enlisted Men and Retired Phil. Scouts key men were:

M/Sgt Gabino Padua, retired  
T/Sgt Ladislao Ortega, Hq & Hq Co 14th Engr, (PS)  
T/Sgt Emelio Mori, Co. "A" 14th Engr (PS)  
Sgt Julio Nicolas " " " " "  
Sgt Hilarion Santildes, Hq & Hq Co 14th Engr. Bn.  
Sgt Florentino Dullon, Co "C" 14th Engr. Bn. ✓  
Pfc Alberto Pulmones, Co "A" 14th Engineer Bn.

That both Enlisted Men and Civilian laborers did not receive their wages.

/s/ Nicolas Restituto  
/t/ NICOLAS RESTITUTO  
1st Lt., CE  
52nd Med Port  
Sub-Base "R", APO 1009

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

  
RAYMOND B. LICUDINE  
1st Lt., Inf.  
Investigating Officer

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AMM/vsg

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Before the outbreak of the war, I was a Private in Company A, 14th Engineers and at present, I am now a civilian.

On or about the 1st of January 1942, we reached, together with the 1st Platoon of Company A, Abucay, but the 57th Infantry was already there. When we reached that place, we laid mines and supervised the construction of the barbed wires and entanglements. It has been also the duties of the 57th Infantry and our Platoon to clear the field as a firing line as a result of which the bottom parts of some of the houses were taken off but others were totally cleared off. There were no civilians employed with our unit.

At my first entrance at the Philippine Scouts before the outbreak of the war, I know that Colonel Harry A. Skerry was in command of the 14th Engineers but was replaced by Major Frederick G. Saint. The last named officer was not with us when we reached Abucay and I do not know where their quarters are during that time. Captain Dampwolf was the Commanding Officer and Lieutenant ~~Leitz~~ as the Platoon Leader.

After we <sup>left</sup> ~~reached~~ Abucay, I do not know what place it was, we were assigned, almost the whole 14th Engineers, to construct a lateral road with indefinite length. In the construction of this lateral road, there were two (2) civilians attached to the 1st Platoon but I saw that there were several civilians working with the other units. After finishing the lateral road, we were assigned to other several jobs after which the surrender came inevitably.

I swear that all the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

*Reuben M. Panajon*  
REUBEN M. PANAJON

I certify that the foregoing statement was made by the party signing the same voluntarily before me this 14th day of April 1947.

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