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M/L VOLADOR

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9 Nov 1945

AFFIDAVIT

I, Helario Suyer, Chief Engineer of the Volador, (tugboat) do hereby certify that the following statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge:

That I first started to work for the USAFFE on 8 Dec 1942 on said tugboat, in the Port of Manapla; That said vessel was engaged in towing barges between the ports of Manapla and Navalas;

That the following is a partial list of Men who worked with me;

NAME	POSITION	SALARY
Teodora Sollano	Capt	P20.00 Per wk
Cencio (last name Unknown)	Q. M.	5.00 " "
Hilario Suyer	Chief Eng.	20.00 " "
Rodrigo Ogdalis	Oiler	6.00 " "
Ricardo Dela Pena	Oiler	3.50 " "

That I was last paid on 16 May 1942 at Fabrica, Negros, by Mr. Marshall of Visayan Stevedore Transportation co;

On 16 May 1942 my service ceased with USAFFE, by order of Mr. Marshall, who told us to go home; That later, said vessel was scuttled by USAFFE;

That after that date I made my living by buying selling fish until about May of 1943, when I returned to Iloilo, and became a tin smith. After about two weeks in Iloilo, I was recognized by the Japanese and forced to work as 2d Engineer on the "Trovador". I worked for them about three weeks when I escaped. I went to the village of Dingli where I raised vegetables to sell, also bought and sold food. I worked at this until 24 March 1945, when I reported to Military Authority in Iloilo.

+ *Helario Suyer*  
HELARIO SUYER

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of November 1945 at AFPAC, Customs House, Iloilo City, Panay, P. I.

*Gustave C. Boesch Jr.*  
GUSTAVE C. BOESCH JR  
1st Lt. Inf.

M/L "Telador"

How acquired no exact info.

Owned by Visayan Stevedore Trans. Co.

Entered govt service - no info.

Scuttled - no exact date.

Place - Manapla.

Crew.

Name	Position	Rate of Pay	Date of Loss
Lindoro Sollans -	Captain	\$ 20. -	Apr.
Cenias -	A. M.	5. -	
Hilario Anzu -	Ch. Engr.	20. -	
Rodrigo Ogdalis -	ate	6. -	
Picardo delo Pena -	ate	3.50	

Remarks: Info from AT&M. Info. Folder #1

Sallano, Tenders  
M/L "Volassi"

Captain

Date entered gov't service:

Place:

Date last paid:

By whom:

Suzer, Hilario

Chief Engineer

M/L Volador

Date entered port service:

Place:

Date last paid:

By whom:

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Ogdalis, Rodrigo

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Date entered govt service:

Date last paid:

Cler

Place:

By whom:

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Sula Pena, Richards

Ciler

M/ + Valentin

Date entered govt service:

Place:

Date last paid:

By whom:

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