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TITLE: DINGCONG'S CORRESPONDENCE AND MEMORANDUM

ORIGIN: HQ, AUS DET. BAYOMBONG, NUEVA VIZCAYA, P.I.

DATES: 1942 to 1946

AUTHENTICITY: CORRESPONDENCE SIGNED

SOURCE: LIVING CLAIMS PROJECT "J"

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To: Chief, Appeals in Pay Branch
Adjustment Division, AGPD.

Sub: Verification of authenticity of the signature of Major Manuel P. Enriquez (deceased veteran) appearing on "Application for Commission" of Braulio Dumlao, dated 30 Sept. 1942 with the specimen of signature of said Major Enriquez from the Adjustment Division, Investigation Section, is hereby forwarded for your information and final action.

FINDINGS :

1. The signature of Major Manuel P. Enriquez appearing on the application for commission of Braulio Dumlao is similar beyond reasonable doubt to the signatures of Manuel P. Enriquez appearing on the 201 file of Antonio Acas, but has no similarity with the specimen signature of said Major Manuel P. Enriquez from the Adjustment Division, Investigation Section.
2. The person who signs the signature of Major Manuel P. Enriquez on the application for commission of Braulio Dumlao and the person that signs the signature of said Major Enriquez in the 201 file of Antonio Acas are one and the same person.
3. Your attention is invited on the duplicate copy of "msg No. 409" dated 23 April 1945 a true copy and the supposed "Application for Commission" of Braulio Dumlao, dated Sept. 30, 1942, the typewriter used are one and the same beyond reasonable doubt as thoroughly worked out thru typewriter protractor and a thorough examination of the keys.
4. The signatures of Braulio Dumlao and Manuel P. Enriquez on the said "Application for Commission" are of the same ink and are more of a recent signatures as the ink does not in any respect coincide with the aging of the paper, nor the typewritten entries. This document was typewritten single. In the other words, when this document was typewritten there was no duplicate as observed that all the back of the letters hit hard on the rubber ruler of the typewriter and not of expansion of duplicate and carbon paper.

Magdalena R. Morales
MAGDALENO R. MORALES
Document Examiner
A. G. R. D.

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MONTHLY ROSTER

(First Page)

ROSTER OF OFFICERS

14th Inf. (abn.), USAFFE, NL, 5th Mil. Dist. At midnight April 30, 1943
 (Organization) (Station)

The following roster, consisting of two (2) pages, contains the names of all officers of this organization and of those attached thereto, and the names of all officers who have been transferred, discharged or otherwise separated therefrom, since the date of the last monthly roster.

Unless otherwise indicated opposite his name, each officer whose name appears on this roster is present at the station indicated above.

/s/ R. A. Manriquez /t/ R. A. MANRIQUEZ

(Signature) (Name Typewritten)

Major, Infantry, PA, Commanding

MAJOR

1. MANRIQUEZ, ROMULO A. USAFFE (PA) :
 O-1474, jd 14th Inf. Aug 23, 1942:
 assumed command 12th. :

First Lieutenants (cont'd)

6. Montejo, Gregorio F., USAFFE (PA)
 jd 14th Inf. April 15, 1942.

CAPTAINS

1. Eriones, Asilio T., USAFFE (PA) :
 jd 14th Inf March 28, 1942 :
 2. Cabrerós, Pedro, USAFFE (PA), JD :
 14th Inf April 25, 1942. :
 3. Dingcong, Arturo, USAFFE, (PA) jd :
 O-888075, jd 14th Inf Jan 7, 1942: :
 4. Dulmoan, Joaquin, USAFFE, (PA) jd :
 14th Inf Jan 29, 1942. :
 5. Mabunga, Pedro H., USAFFE (PA) jd :
 14th Inf Feb 24, 1942. :
 6. Matias, Vicente A., USAFFE (PA) jd :
 14th Inf July 2, 1942, promoted :
 12th. :
 7. Perdido, Benjamin, USAFFE (PA) jd :
 14th Inf Jan 7, 1942. :
 8. Quines, Honorio S, USAFFE (PA) jd :
 14th Inf March 24, 1942. :
 9. Ramirez, Emiliano, Civilian, MC, :
 jd 14th Inf April 1942. :

SECOND LIEUTENANTS

1. Canonizado, Gregorio S. Civilian,
 jd 14th Inf Dec 23, 1942,
 commissioned 12th. :
 2. Castillo, Domingo, USAFFE (PA)
 jd 14th Inf Jan 7, 1942 Commis-
 sioned 12th. :
 3. Corpuz, Juan, Civilian, jd 14th
 Inf Feb 27, 1942. :
 4. Corpuz, Leoncio, Civilian, jd 14
 th Inf March 28, 1942, commis-
 sioned 12 th. :
 5. Cruz, Adriano de la, USAFFE (PA)
 jd 14th Inf March 1, 1942, commis-
 sioned 12th. :
 6. Cruz, Pascual de la, US
 jd 14th Inf Aug 1, 1942, commis-
 sioned 12th. :
 7. Cruz, Enrique,
 th Inf Jan 7, :
 8. Domingo, Gre-
 14th Inf Jan 7. :
 12th. :
 9. Dumlaog, Patrio
 Inf Nov 16. 19 :
 10. Frago, Marcell
 6739647, jd 14 :
 11. Jamandre, Juan,
 14th Inf Feb 24 :
 12. Jimenez, Juan,
 Inf Jan 15, 19 :
 13. Licupa, Estani
 14th Inf Jan 28 :
 ed 12th. :
 14. Lopez, Douglas, :
 Inf Dec (X) 1942, c

FIRST LIEUTENANTS

1. Aviles, Emitio F, USAFFE (PA) jd :
 14th Inf Jan 7, 1942. :
 2. Dumlaog, Braulio, Civilian, jd 14 :
 th Inf April 1, 1942. :
 3. Dumlaog, Saturnino, Cadet FMA, jd :
 14th Inf March 24, 1942. :
 4. Galina, Leonardo C, USAFFE (PA) :
 O-888085, jd 14th Inf March 5, :
 1942. :
 5. Marinias, Silvestre, USAFFE (PA) :
 jd 14th Inf April 16, 1942 :
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In the Field
 (Station)

At midnight, March 31, 1943

The following roster, consisting of one (1) sheet, contains the

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(Sgd) Mauricio Y. Decena MAURICIO Y. DE CENA
 (Signature) (Name typewritten)
 2nd Lieut, Inf, EXO, Apayao Co, 3rd Bn
 Cagayan-Apayao-Kalinga Forces
 (Rank and Organization)

NAME	DATE JOINED	NAME	DATE JOINED
<u>Lieutenant</u>		<u>Privates (contd)</u>	
Surian, Isib P.	Feb 15/43	1. Abangon, Pedro	Mar 1/43
<u>Sergeants</u>		2. Abaya, Marcelino	do
Pillio, Pio	Feb 15/43	3. Agamanus, Geronimo	do
<u>Serjeants</u>		4. Agbalino, Serio P.	do
Agatep, Ceferino	Feb 15/43	5. Allapog, Basso	do
Benoa, Alejandro	do	6. Andanan, Felipe	Feb 15/43
Cabradilla, Cirilo	do	7. Basilio, Gavino	Mar 1/43
Delwasen, Pedro	do	8. Benegra, Meliton	Feb 15/43
Irving, Severo	do	9. Elias, Vicente	do
Sidayao, Gabriel	do	10. Bongay, Benigno	do
<u>Corporals</u>		11. Bucac, Pacio	Mar 1/43
Atta, Tobias	Feb 15/43	12. Capit, Rufo	Feb 15/43
Benjanga, Elvencino	do	13. Cruz, Daniel de la	do
Angel	do	14. Delay, Carlos	do
Juan	do	15. Emong, Pio	do
Primitivo	do	16. Eugene, Pangew	do
Diocdado	do	17. Francisco, Jose	do
<u>1st Class</u>		18. Guillermo, Patricia	Mar 1/43
Maurin, Elnor	Feb 15/43	19. Guzman, Raelmo	do
Balicii, Delingay	do	20. Iggat, Bauig	do
Bucac, Balindao	do	21. Liugan, Apolinario	do
Cabradilla, Octaviano	do	22. Lorenzo, Eugenio	do
Caluduan, Tiburcio	do	23. Macalan, Domingo	Feb 15/43
Constantino, Pio	Mar 1/43	24. Malana, Eustequio	do
Era, Blanco	Feb 15/43	25. Mataz, Donato	do
Gabilan, Amancio	do	26. Mittay, Dian	do
Leon, Napoleon de	do	27. Patayan, Micanor	do
Madura, Rufino	do	28. Queza, Claudio	do
Tabling, Martin	do	29. Reyes, Lucilio	Mar 1/43
Unayam, Juan	do	30. Rivera, Jaime	do
		31. Sebastian, Jose	do
		32. Sanglay, Rosalino	Feb 15/43
		33. Tackit, Marcelino	do
		34. Tomas, Balatoc	do
		35. Tandi, Cirilo	do

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Uday, Enrique

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Gumbay, Leon
Ocampo, Aniceto de

Jul 20/43
Feb 15/43

LOSSES

1. ... Patayan, Aug 1/42 (Killed in
line of duty Sept 1/42)

Abanizado, Priscilleno, Jan 20/43 (Killed
in line of duty
Feb /43)

Marquez, Enrico, Jan 20/43 (Killed in
line of duty Feb /43)

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SABINIANO IBANEZ
Captain, Cavalry
Summary Court Officer

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AUS DETACHMENT
BAYOMBONG, NUEVA VIZCAYA

29 January 1946

SUBJECT: Records Recovered, Submission of

TO : CG, AFWESPAC

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ARTURO DINGCOM
Captain, Infantry, AUS
O-888079

Incls:

As stated.

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Subject: Search for buried records of the 14th
Inf. USAFIP (N.L.).

(1) Investigation
Section

To: I. & R. Branch

28 December 1945

In the case of records and documents of the 14th Inf. USAFIP (N.L.) buried during guerrilla activities against the Japanese for safe keeping:

Records and documents recovered between Bambang and San Antonio, Nueva Vizcaya by 1st Sgt. Fernandez and patrol of the 14th Inf. Another patrol will go forward for all records were not recovered. If any further records or documents are found, they will be dispatched to this section.

Major Arturo Dengiong of the 14th Inf. submitted true copies of records of the 14th Inf.

All records and documents are attached hereto.

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HEADQUARTERS
14th Infantry, USAFIP, HL
Bayombong, Nueva Vizcaya


16 November 1945

Subject: Records of 14th Infantry
To : CO, USAFIP, HL (Attn: Col Galvert)

1. In compliance with your TCG 142350, herewith enclosed are copies of the pertinent papers that could be gathered regarding the 14th Infantry.

2. I have already sent on 13 November 45 my affidavit on the Authority of Lt-Col Everett Warner to organize the 14th Infantry by Gen MacArthur's HQ.

3. Additional pertinent papers asked for in your TCG 142350 will be forwarded to that HQ as soon as they are recovered by this HQ.


ARJ DE BINGOCPU
Major, 14th Inf, AUS
Actg Regt'l Comdr

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HEADQUARTERS
USAFIP NORTH LUZON
CAMP SPENCER

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11 November 1945

SUBJECT: Clarification of Status
THRU: Luzon Area Command
TO: Commanding General, AFWESPAC, APO 707

1. Request clarification of the status of the officers and enlisted men under the late Lt Col GUILLERMO NAKAR, 14th Infantry, AUS, who, by a radio message from SWPA on 15 July 1942, were incorporated into the Army of the United States and assigned a block of serial numbers.

2. The PA processing team now processing personnel of this command cannot determine the actual status of these officers and men due to lack of more specific instructions from higher headquarters. It is recommended that request mentioned in Par 1, above, be acted upon in order to expedite the complete processing of this command.

R. W. Volckmann

R W VOLCKMANN
Colonel, Infantry, AUS
Commanding

2 Incls:

1. List of Officers and EM under Lt Col GUILLERMO NAKAR, 14th Inf, AUS.
2. Ltr, S-Status, Clarification of, w/ Incls.

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HEADQUARTERS
USAFIP NORTH LUZON
Camp SPENCER

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11 November 1945

SUBJECT: Clarification of Status

TO: Commanding General, AFRES PAC, APO 707

1. Request clarification of the status of the officers and enlisted men under the late Lt Col QUILBERG HAYAN, 14th Infantry, AUS, who, by a radio message from SWPA on 15 July 1942, were incorporated into the Army of the United States and assigned a block of serial numbers.

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R W VOLGEMANF
Colonel, Inf, AUS
Commanding

2 Incls:

1. List of Officers and EM
under Lt Col QUILBERG HAYAN,
14th Inf, AUS
2. Ltr, S-Status, Clarification of, w/ Incls.

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Army of the United States
HEADQUARTERS, FOURTEENTH INFANTRY (FA)

August 13, 1942

INSTRUCTION

To: 1st Lieut. Benjamin Perdido

1. You are to contact C.O., 2nd Battalion or any officer of that unit in order to obtain the following reports:

- (a) Roster of Troops
- (b) Roster of officers with their respective assignments
- (c) S-1 and Ordnance reports (forms inclosed)

2. Contact Lts. QUINES, GONZALES and TABALIGAN and advise them to report to this Headquarters.

3. Herewith are General Orders and Memorandum that should be delivered to C.O., 2nd Battalion only but may be shown to any officer of that unit if his compliance is deemed necessary.

By order of Lieut.-Colonel NAKAR:

ARTURO DINGCONG
Capt., 14th Inf., AUS
Adjutant

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HEADQUARTERS LUZON AREA COMMAND (PROVISIONAL)
APO 198, c/o Postmaster
San Francisco, Calif.

15 Nov

SUBJECT: Return of Communication

TO: 20 USAFIP NL Camp Spines

1. LUZON AREA COMMAND is discontinued effective 0001 hours 15 November 1945, in accordance with Field Order Number 4, Headquarters, AFWESPAC, dated 1 November 1945.

2. Since the attached communication forwarded by you, has been received too late for completion of action by this headquarters, it is returned. It is recommended that it be forwarded to the new higher headquarters to which your unit is assigned or attached subsequent to 15 November 1945.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Morris A. Crumpton
MORRIS A. CRUMPTON
CWO USA
Actg Asst Adj Gen

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HEADQUARTERS 3RD MILITARY DISTRICT
15TH INFANTRY, USAFIP, NL
In the Field

23 April 1945

Msg. No. 408

SUBJECT: Information, Furnishing of
TO : Commanding Officer, USAFIP, NL

1. In reference to a request from Major Arturo Dingcong, C.O., Headquarters Battalion, 14th Infantry, PA, I certify to the correctness of the following information.

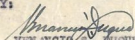
2. To the best of my knowledge the original 14th Infantry, PA, formerly under Lieut.-Col. Guillermo Nakar, was federalized in June of 1942 in accordance with a radio from SWPA. At that time, a considerable number of the officers and approximately 200 enlisted men were actually inducted into the AUS in accordance with radiogram received from SWPA, as mentioned above. Included in the above officers inducted into the AUS was 1st Lieutenant Arturo Dingcong who was shortly after on August 2, 1942, promoted to the rank of Captain. Included also were 1st Lieuts. Heib, Galina, Aviles, and 2nd Lieuts Vea, Cruz and Reyes. These officers were always directly or indirectly under my command and never surrendered or deserted. A roster of the enlisted men who were with me and who never deserted nor surrendered and who were inducted into the AUS can be furnished by Major Dingcong, 14th Infantry, PA.

/s/ R. H. Arnold

/t/ R. H. ARNOLD

Lieut.-Colonel, 15th Infantry, PA
Commanding

A TRUE COPY:


VENANCIO S. DUQUE
1st Lieut., 14th Infantry
Adjutant

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Army of the United States
HEADQUARTERS, 14TH INFANTRY
Banguet-Vizcaya Sector

Sept. 30, 1942.

Subject: Application for commission.

To: CO, 14th Inf., USA.
In the field.

1. I hereby apply for commission in the reserve force, Medical Corps, Philippine Army. The following are my personal data:

Date of birth: Jan. 5, 1910
Place of birth: Currimaos, Ilocos Norte
Status: Single
Degree: DVM, at UP (Los Baños) - 1932
Military Training: Graduate, ROTC Basic course, 1932.

2. I have been on duty with the 2nd Bn, 14th Inf., USA as undercoverman aside from my other duties in the Medical Section since April 2, 1942.

Braulio Dumlaos
BRAULIO DURLAO
Technical Sgt., Med Serv.

HQ, 14TH INF, USA, CP, 1st Ind.,
In the field, Oct. 5, 1942. To: CO, 14th Inf., USA,

1. I strongly recommend approval.

2. Dr. Dumlaos has been most useful to us not only as my veterinary officer but as my undercoverman in enemy occupied territories. His commission will be compensation enough for the risk he is undertaking.

3. Attached is the physical examination certificate on this applicant as performed by 1st Lt. E. N. Ramirez, MC-Res.

Manuel P. Enriquez
MANUEL P. ENRIQUEZ
Major, Gen Staff Corps
Ex O, 14th Infantry

ENCL:
Med. examination certificate.

Army of the United States
HEADQUARTERS, 14TH INFANTRY
Benguet-Viscaya Sector

OP
Sept. 14, 1942

MEMORANDUM
All Unit Commanders, 14th Infantry.
Benguet-Viscaya Sector

1. Lt.-Col. C. Nakar, CO., 14th Inf., once reminded me in one of his letters with the following statement:
"You will be surprised that inspite of the peculiar circumstances under which we are serving at present, there are still certain disciplinary and administrative limitations on our actions for which we and we alone will be held responsible."

I am quoting this phrase because I knew that it will surely guide accordingly, any unit commander (or any individual) in his actions as this will always make him aware of his own responsibilities. I want all officers and men of our units to know and remember that the army's main reason for existing is for the protection of lives and property in our country from foreign aggressors; that we exist to protect the interest of our people and not to trample on their rights and make their lives more miserable by any of our thoughtless and inconsiderate actions. All unit commanders should bear in mind that in any undertaking they contemplate to take careful analysis of the situation should first be made by them. This will enable to carefully weigh the advantages and disadvantages it will give the civilian population and their actions can therefore be governed accordingly. Personal accomplishments on the part of any individual member of the service, when obtained at the expense of the civilian population, is of no value. On the contrary, such actions should be condemned and should be dealt with accordingly.

2. The province of Nueva Vizcaya is a politics-infested province, which we all know. Extreme care will therefore be exercised by any individual in the army pertaining to reports about persons reported to us as working for the enemy. In my short stay in this province, I have found ninety (90) percent of such reports as merely the results of political differences and are mostly unfounded. Furthermore, such persons may have been planted purposely with the enemy by headquarters other than your own to report on enemy activities. If anyone will be too hasty in his opinion and will happen to deal with a person as cited above, he will surely find himself in trouble. This situation can only be remedied and avoided if every officer and men in the command will follow as best as he could, the "ARTICLES OF WAR" for procedure. While I honestly believe that in such an emergency as this, we cannot afford to be careless as to let free a man who will readily give us away to the enemy, I also firmly think that all suspects be given all their chances to disprove any charges against them in order that we can always be sure that we get the right man.

3. In a situation as this one we have at present, our people looks only upon the army as something in the future that will liberate them from the clutches of the tightening hands of the Japanese Imperial Army. As members of the home Army, we should therefore avoid doing things that will make the people lose their respect and faith in us. The incident of cloth vendors waylaid on the road and stripped of their clothings for sale, is an act unworthy of our name. I believe that if responsible officers will only lay their cards on the table and explain very carefully their needs to people who can supply them with these necessities, they will be able to procure them without going to the extent of holding-up people. All goods or supplies taken by any unit for their consumption should therefore be properly signed for, so that such notes could be paid after the war. ~~Such articles or services~~ should however be legal. Our Commanding Officer will not tolerate any practice to the contrary.

4. I have observed that there is an overflow of request for commission from our men and an apparent desire of some of our countrymen to serve the country through the army in the commissioned grades. I wish it transmitted to our young men through our own personnel that our country is in need of help necessitating sacrifice from every individual and it is immaterial as to whether he serves as a soldier or as a civilian. Everybody desiring to serve for our country should not serve for the returns he will get for such services but for the thought that he has done or is doing his share in this war. Many young men are reporting in our various camps every day just to escape from the forced service the Japanese Imperial Army is exacting from them. We cannot induct every man who comes to report because we have our own limitations. These men should not hesitate to work with the army even as mere civilian volunteers and serve in the best manner they fit in. Unless we hear otherwise from higher headquarters, I am sure that this will temporarily solve our problem of the growing number of young men running away from towns and away from the forced labor under the Japanese.

5. The complete text of this memorandum will be read to your respective commands. Each unit commander will insure that this text is translated to the men to enlighten them of any misconception if they have any.

MANUEL ^E ENRIQUEZ
Major, Gen Staff Corps
Ex O. 14th Infantry

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Army of the United States
HEADQUARTERS, FOURTEENTH INFANTRY (PA)

August 5, 1942

MEMORANDUM -
All Unit Commanders, 14th Inf

1. Pursuant to instruction from General Headquarters SWPA the following will be the procedure followed in the enlistment of soldiers belonging to the 14th Infantry into the Army of the United States:

All enlisted men of the 14th Infantry will be enlisted initially as privates in the Army of the United States. Beginning and effective August 2nd, 1942 promotions in the enlisted grades to cover vacancies existing as per table of organization for the regiment (PA) will be made.

2. The following will cover the policy regarding the officers and enlisted men who will be taken up in the initial roster of the reconstituted 14th Infantry (PA) whose officers are commissioned officers in the Army of the United States and whose enlisted men are soldiers of the Army of the United States:

(a) All officers and men now in their respective assigned areas as per the last tactical disposition and who are performing the function assigned to them will be taken up.

(b) Officers and men who after the fall of Cororogor are on detached service either as reconnaissance or combat patrols will be taken up the moment a report as to their whereabouts and composition is rendered.

(c) All officers and enlisted men who are absent without leave, or missing will be taken up in a separate tentative roster but will not be included in the initial roster. Officers and men in this category will be allotted serial numbers the moment they report for duty.

3. Every unit commander should keep a roster of his officers and men, classifying them under these groups to conform with (a), (b) and (c), paragraph 2 above. This roster should be ready when called for by this Headquarters.

By order of Lieut.-Colonel MAKAR:

(Sgd) Arturo Durong
(Typed) ARTURO DURONG
Captain, 14th Inf, USA
Adjutant

A TRUE COPY:

Jul 7
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GUERRILLA FORCES IN NORTHERN LUZON
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, P.C. COMPANY
2nd BN., 14th INFANTRY

OATH OF ENLISTMENT

IN THE FIELD
July 29, 1942

"I, JOSE BUBANGLAG, do solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Commonwealth of the Philippines; that I will serve it honestly and faithfully against all its enemies whomsoever; that I will support and defend the Constitution of the Philippines; that I will obey the orders of the President of the Philippines and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the rules and articles of war; and I hereby declare that I recognize and accept the supreme authority of the United States of America in the Philippines, and will maintain true faith and allegiance thereto; and that I impose this obligation upon myself voluntarily, without mental reservation or purpose of evasion. SO HELP ME GOD".

OATH OF INDUCTION

By virtue of the Proclamation of the President of the United States, dated September 1, 1941 and the authority vested upon me by the Commonwealth Government of the Philippine Islands, I do hereby induct you into the Armed Forces of the United States Forces in the Philippines. You are now therefore in the Federal Service of the United Nation's Armed Forces in the Philippines.

Jose Bubanglag
JOSE BUBANGLAG

B. Briones
B. BRIONES
Captain, U.S.A.
Commanding, P.C., Co.

United States Army Forces in the Philippines
HEADQUARTERS, 14TH INFANTRY

July 14, 1942

MEMORANDUM -
All Unit Commanders

1. Herewith is a memorandum signed by the Commanding Officer, 14th Inf, USA which should be read and explained by all Unit Commanders to their men in order to bolster their morale and to make them know that their sacrifices are not only appreciated but are made of record and that efforts are being made to reward them.

2. It should be borne in mind, however, that we should be moderate in celebrating this fortunate incident lest we invite the envy of those who are not in our organization. You should always be aware of the fact that all information relayed to you should not be a subject of conversation with any unauthorized persons. Needless to emphasize, danger is always imminent until after the U.S. Army is again in control of the Islands.

3. You will receive copies of Special Orders wherein you will find your serial number and those of your Officers and Men in the Army of the United States. As soon as you are in possession of these orders you will require your men to memorize their serial numbers faithfully.

By order of Lt.-Colonel MAKAR:

(Sgd) ARTURO DINGSONG
1st Lieut., 14th Inf, AUS
Adjutant

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A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

(Signed) Arturo Dingsong
(Typed) ARTURO DINGSONG
Major, 14th Inf, AUS

/eca

A TRUE COPY:

Desiderio P. Jurado
DESIDERIO P. JURADO
2d Lieut., Infantry, PA

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Exp. to
Adjutant

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(FILAMERICANS)
Camp Nakar

Date June 1, 1942

Received from Mr. Ulcostacio Bagay at Parac

Exp. N.O.

the following articles.

QUANTITY :	ARTICLES	UNIT PRICE :	TOTAL PRICE
1	Horse bridle, Complete	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50
Total	Two at \$1.25 per article	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.50

GUILLERMO NAKAR
Lt. Col. 14th Inf.
Commanding

JANUARIO A. LONGNO
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14th Inf.

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(Sgd) ARTURO DELACROSA
1st Lieut., 14th Inf, USA
A djutant

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OATH OF OFFICE
ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES

I, JUAN COMA. O-88111 of
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cept appointment to the Grade of Second Lieutenant (Inf),
Army of the United States and agree to faithfully discharge my
duties as such.

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and to obey all orders of the President of the United States, and
of all officers appointed over me according to the rules, laws and
Articles of War - SO HELP ME GOD!

/s/ Juan Coma
/t/ JUAN COMA

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day
of July, 1942 at Pinappacan, Nueva Viscaya,
Philippines.

/s/ G. Nakar
/t/ GUILLERMO NAKAR
Lt.-Colonel, 14th Inf, USA
Commanding

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Gordon H. Simmons
GORDON H. SIMMONS
1st Lt PA

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Philippines.

(Sgd) GUILLEMO NAKAR
Lt.-Colonel, 14th Inf, USA
Commanding

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Juan Coma
JUAN COMA
2nd Lieut., Inf-Res

Army of the United States
HEADQUARTERS, FOURTEENTH INFANTRY (PA)

August 2, 1942

MEMORANDUM -

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You are again reminded here of the provisions in Army Regulations, that pertain to secrecy discipline. Every member of this Command is enjoined to treat matters marked SECRET or CONFIDENTIAL accordingly.

By order of Lieut.-Colonel NAKAR:

/s/ Arturo Dingoang
/t/ ARTURO DINGCOANG
1st Lieut., 14th Inf, USA
Adjutant

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:
25/12/45

Arturo Dingoang
ARTURO DINGCOANG
Major, Infantry, AUS

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Adjutant

Army of the United States
HEADQUARTERS, FOURTEENTH INFANTRY (PA)

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1st Lieut., 14th Inf, USA
Adjutant

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C.O., 2nd Bn, 14th Inf

United States Forces in the Philippines
HEADQUARTERS, 14TH INFANTRY (PA)
BENGUET-VIZOAYA SECTOR

CP
27 Aug 42; 7:00 A.M.

MEMORANDUM-
2nd Lt. P. Mabunga, 14th Inf.
In the field.

1. In reply to your letter dated Aug. 26, 1942, the rest of the Filipino troops still fighting will not and are never treated as "outlaws" under the AW of the U.S.A. The following pertinent portion of the message from Gen. MacArthur to Lt-Col. Nakar on June 29, 1942 is hereby quoted for your information and guidance:

CONTINUE ON WITH YOUR ACTIVITIES STOP MAINTAIN NO LONGER YOUR COMMANDING GENERAL STOP YOURS NOW AN INDEPENDENT UNIT DIRECTLY UNDER THIS HEADQUARTERS STOP KEEP POSTER OF TROOPS ACTIVELY OPERATING WITH YOU X X X X X X X X

The above message from Gen. MacArthur himself is self-explanatory. Not only that we are not outlaws, but that we are required to carry on with our usual activities.

2. Per instructions from Hq, 14th Inf., I was relieved as Bn Commander of the 2nd Bn now operating in Vizcaya and will simply remain as Executive Officer of the Regiment. I will, however, remain directly central and supervise all activities of all our detachments now spread in Pangasinan, Benguet and Vizcaya and will represent the Regimental Commander in the above-mentioned areas. This is necessitated by our handicap in maintaining continuous contact among our units. For your information, we have one complete Bn operating in Benguet, one Bn also in Vizcaya and one complete company in Pangasinan. We are all functioning under the Headquarters of the 14th Inf.

3. I have written Lt-Col. Nakar for instructions about you last week upon hearing that you did not surrender. However, I expect the answer next week yet. However, I am desirous of having you and your men actually with me here in my CP for the meantime until we hear from Col. Nakar. I want you to operate from my location as your base of operation. It will be safer here. You may start from there with all your men and travel by night. I do not want you to tell any of your men where you are going. Just go with the guide and he will lead you accordingly.

4. We are not authorized to induct new men. Just take with you your old men. However, these new volunteers can be advised to hide in distant barriers for a while until we get instructions from Col. Nakar as to what we will do about them. However, these volunteers must not know where you are going.

United States Forces in the Philippines
HEADQUARTERS, 14TH INFANTRY (PA)
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"MACARTHUR"

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Chague, Isabela
October 5, 1942

MEMORANDUM:
TO: All Officers & Enlisted Men
14th Infantry

On September 29 ultimo during a heavy storm I and one officer and another enlisted man were captured by the Japanese Imperial Forces and the Japanese Military Police deep in the Sierra Madre Mountain. Earlier than this our radio apparatus was unearthed after a thorough and methodical search and is now in their possession. Several of our officers and men have also been captured.

With the loss of the only means of communication to higher headquarters the further performance of our assigned military mission becomes impracticable. In view of this fact and to terminate the hardship to which the civilian population is subjected incident to this campaign, on account of the lack of communication, and in order to prevent the disintegration of our unit into bandit groups, I have decided to surrender our unit.

The Japanese Imperial Forces have been generous to accord to every member of our unit the same privilege as had already been granted to other Filipino prisoners of war.

In order to carry out this order each officer will contact and gather the men under him. Through barrig lieutenant and other municipal officials contact with the nearest Commanding Officer of the local Japanese garrison will be made to whom the men with their arms will be surrendered. Carry a white flag if a Japanese patrol is met. In no case should resistance be offered. This will be done promptly otherwise those who fail to comply will be hunted down and shot.

The Japanese Imperial Forces have concentrated a large force to go after our unit and they are determined to get us. If up to now you are not yet taken it is because they have not yet turned their attention to your sector. If there was any way of evading them, I could have done so.

For the last time avail yourself of the benevolent and generous terms offered by the mighty Japanese Imperial Forces - report to our Commanding Officer and surrender with your arms and ammunition.

/s/t/ GUILLEMO HAKAR
Lt. Colonel, 14th Infantry
Commanding

TRUE COPY: /fca
HHR, 15th Inf, 9/19/45
/s/t/ JUAN E VALEROS
1st Lieut., Inf., PA
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REGISTRO FELIPE
2nd Lt., Inf., PA

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UNITED STATES FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES
 Guerilla Forces in Northern Luzon
 HEADQUARTERS, INFANTRY

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 November 1, 1948

MEMORANDUM -
 All Unit Commanders,
 in the Field.

1. The following is the new salary schedule for all troops serving under the American flag as furnished this headquarters by Headquarters, United Nations' Forces in the Far East:

	Salary	Quarters	RATION		TOTAL	
			Single	Married	Single	Married
2nd Lieut.	300.00	180.00	1.40	2.80	348.00	504.00
1st Lieut.	333.33	150.00	1.40	2.80	375.33	567.33
Captain	400.00	180.00	1.40	2.80	442.00	664.00
Major	500.00	210.00	1.40	4.20	542.00	856.00
Lt. Colonel	583.00	240.00	1.40	4.20	625.00	949.32
Colonel	666.66	240.00	1.40	4.20	708.66	1032.66

Note: No quarters allowance for bachelor officers. Above schedule in Philippine Currency.

Salary Schedule For enlisted Men:

1. Master Sergeant	2276.00
2. Technical Sergeant	228.00
3. First Sergeant	228.00
4. Staff Sergeant	196.00
5. Sergeant	156.00
6. Corporal	120.00
7. Private First Class	108.00
8. Private	100.00

Note: Rations and quarters allowance for EM not mentioned.

Note: Above statement and figures are correct - placed in effect March 1, 1948, while we were in Bataan. Please notify all officers and men.

M & N

A true copy:

FOR CLERK

Exhibit "XX"

NOTE:

N is the code name of COL ARTHUR K NOBLE
 M is the code name of COLONEL MOSES,
 A TRUE COPY
 PAR KER CALVERT
 Colonel, Inf, AUS

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ext. instant

CP
26 Aug 42; 8:00am

To: Lieut. G. J. CUSHING.
In the field.

1. Enclosed herewith is a copy of my communication with Lt-Col. Therpe, the original of which I do not know whether it has reached him or not.

2. From the instructions first received from Gen. MacArthur you will note that the 14th Inf. is functioning directly under his Headquarters. However, I am positive that any exchange of information and ideas between our units for coordination and betterment should be done by both our respective Headquarters.

3. My radio transmitter with its complete signal personnel (one operator and 4 EM), is still functioning. Through this means, our Regimental Headquarters has continuously been receiving instructions from Gen. MacArthur. I was not given any instruction neither any authority to divulge any other instructions intended for my unit, so I am just attaching the enclosed communication addressed to Lt-Col. Therpe.

4. The unit now under 2nd Lt. G. MONTEJO has been designated Company "G", 14th Inf. and will continue to function under my Headquarters. Any help you may be able to give my officers will be greatly appreciated.

5. I have instructed Lt. Montejo to personally report to me for conference and instructions and should arrive here at my CP not later than Sept. 4th, 1942. Any communication you may wish to send to my CP or that of Lt-Col. Nakar's can be sent through him. Colonel Nakar's CP is approximately 6 days hike from my location.

MANUEL P. ENRIQUETA
Major, Gen. Staff Corps
Ex O, 14th Inf.

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A-1st*

COPY FURNISHED:
CO, 14th Inf.
CO, Co. "G", 14th Inf.

United States Army Forces in the Philippines
HEADQUARTERS, 14TH INFANTRY

July 14, 1942

CONFIDENTIAL
MEMORANDUM -

All Officers & Enlisted Men
14th Infantry

1. With your welfare and advancement being one of my paramount concerns, this Headquarters had this date secured the Federalization of every member of the 14th Infantry. Every officer now holds commission in the United States Army and every enlisted man is now enlisted in the United States Army, receiving the same pay, allowances and other privileges enjoyed by American Officers and Enlisted Men of equivalent grade. The position of 3rd Lieut in the 14th Infantry has been abolished. All Officers holding the rank of 3rd Lieutenant are automatically promoted to 2nd Lieut.
2. The above privileges are a recognition by the Headquarters of General MacArthur of your excellent services and your devotion to duty and loyalty to your country. I feel highly gratified and proud of having the privilege to serve with you. Especially so because this distinction has been singularly granted to our unit. I feel certain therefore that in the future you will always perform your duties as you had performed them in the past.
3. I congratulate everyone of you.

(SGD) GUILLERMO NAKAR
Lt.-Colonel, 14th Inf, USA
Commanding

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

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PETERO DINGCONG
Major, 14th Inf, AUS

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Province of Nueva Vizcaya, Phil.

7 May 1942

RECEIVED from Mr. EMELIO ABISAMIS
At MONGUIA, DUPAX, NUEVA VIZCAYA

QUANTITY:	ARTICLE	: UNIT VALUE:	TOTAL VALUE
One (1) :	Cow	: P 25.00	: P 25.00

GUILLERMO MAKAR
Lt. Col., Inf-USAFFE
Comd'g. 14th Infantry

JANUARIO A. LONGCO
1st Lt., 7.0. Combat Company
Hq. Bn., 14th Infantry

By: *Teodoro I. Andaya*
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3rd Lieut., Inf-USAFFE.
Combat Co., Hq. Bn., 14th Inf.

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10/10/42*

I CERTIFY to have received from Lt. Teodoro I. Andaya,
a copy of this receipt to be delivered to the person entitled
thereat.

Ramon Gargazin

RAMON GARGAZIN
Barrio Lieutenant
Monguia, Dupax, Nueva Vizcaya

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Asst*

March 31, 1942

The District Health Officer,
Jones, Isabela

Sir:

The undersigned, President of the 1st and 5th Sanitary Division of Cabagan and Echague, Isabela, respectively, and who are Medical Officers, Medical Corps Reserve, PA, have the honor to inform the District Health Officer, Isabela Province, that they have reported to an extended tour of active duty to the 14TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, PA, CAGAYAN Valley.

This is in compliance to a recall to report for active duty issued by the Commanding Officer, 14TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, PA.

Dr. Pablo H. Gaffud reported to duty on January 29, 1942, and Dr. Miguel A. Castro, on March 27, 1942.

Very Respectfully,

(Sgd) PA PABLO H. GAFFUD
(T) PABLO H. GAFFUD
President 1st. Sanitary Division

(Sgd) Miguel A. Castro
(T) Miguel A. Castro
President 5th. Sanitary Division

OFFICIAL:

(Sgd) GUILLERMO NAKAR
(T) GUILLERMO NAKAR
Major, 14th Inf
Executive Officer

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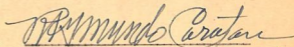
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United States Army Forces in the Far East
Headquarters, FIRST BATTALION
14th Infantry, P.A.

February 27, 1942

INDUCTION INTO THE UNITED STATES ARMY
FORCES IN THE FAR EAST

I, RAMUNDO COROTAN, First Lieutenant, Inf. Res. PA do hereby agree to the induction into the United States Army Forces in the Far East. I further agree to faithfully perform my duties as a soldier in such Forces, to uphold and defend the Constitutions of the United States of America and the Philippine Commonwealth and to obey the orders of all officers appointed over me according to the rules and laws, SO HELP ME GOD.


(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-seventh day of
February, 1942.

(Sgd.) WARREN A. MINTON
Warren A. Minton
Captain, 26th Cav., PS
Commanding

Note: This is a true copy.

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1. First Lieutenant Raymundo Corotan (Inf-Res), having reported for duty, is attached with "E" Company, this Battalion.

By Order of Capt. Minton:

TRUE COPY:

/s/ FROILAN MONICO
/t/ FROILAN MONICO
2nd Lieut., Inf-Res.
Adjutant "

"Cauayan; Isabela

April 26, 1942.

Memorandum to all Officers and enlisted men of the Philippine Army residing or passing through the Municipality of Cauayan.

1. You are hereby ordered to identify yourselves to the bearer of this letter, 1st Lt. Raymundo Corotan, and give to him such information as he may request.
2. All enlisted men are ordered to follow any instructions which he may transmit to them from higher military authority.
3. Lt. Corotan is also hereby authorized to confiscate arms and ammunitions from civilians not authorized to possess same and from enlisted men who may be abusing the privilege of such possession.

By Order of Lt. Col. Mark:

TRUE COPY:

/s/ ROBERT H. ARNOLD
/t/ ROBERT H. ARNOLD
Captain, USA "

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By order of Lt. Col. Nekar

/s/ Robert H. Arnold
/c/ ROBERT H. ARNOLD
Captain, U.S.A.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Raymundo Corotan
RAYMUNDO COROTAN
1st Lt., Inf. ASN C-42526

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