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GUERRILLA FORCES IN NORTHERN LUZON
2ND BATTALION, 14TH INFANTRY
"E" COMPANY, 14TH INF.

IN THE FIELD
March 13, 1944

SUBJECT: MISCELLANEOUS REPORT
TO : 5-14-1113(Zh1-113), in the field.

T. The following men formerly released prisoners of war from Camp O'donell were reported to be the master mind in the killing of Jose Ciscar of Bambang. When learned that are wanted by the Japanese authority they escaped and joined my company last March 13, 1944.

1. T-Sgt. ZOSIMO BUNUAN of Battery "B" 86th F.A. Phil. Scouts, Fort Stotsenberg.
2. Pfc. BENJAMIN FELR MG. Troop 26th Cavalry, Phil. Scouts, Fort Stotsenberg.
3. Pfc. Narciso Simon Troop "F" 26th Cavalry, Phil. Scouts, Fort Stotsenberg.

2. The following Civilians who also escaped and joined my company have the same story to the men mentioned above.

1. Amado Calaycay, 3rd H. S.
2. Remigio Calaycay, H.S.G.
3. Benjamin Calaycay, 2nd CE, 1 yr. training ROTC.NU.
4. Francisco Tugab, 2nd yr. Medecine UST, 3yrs. training R.O.T.C.
5. Tranquilino Calaycay, 2nd yr. H.S.

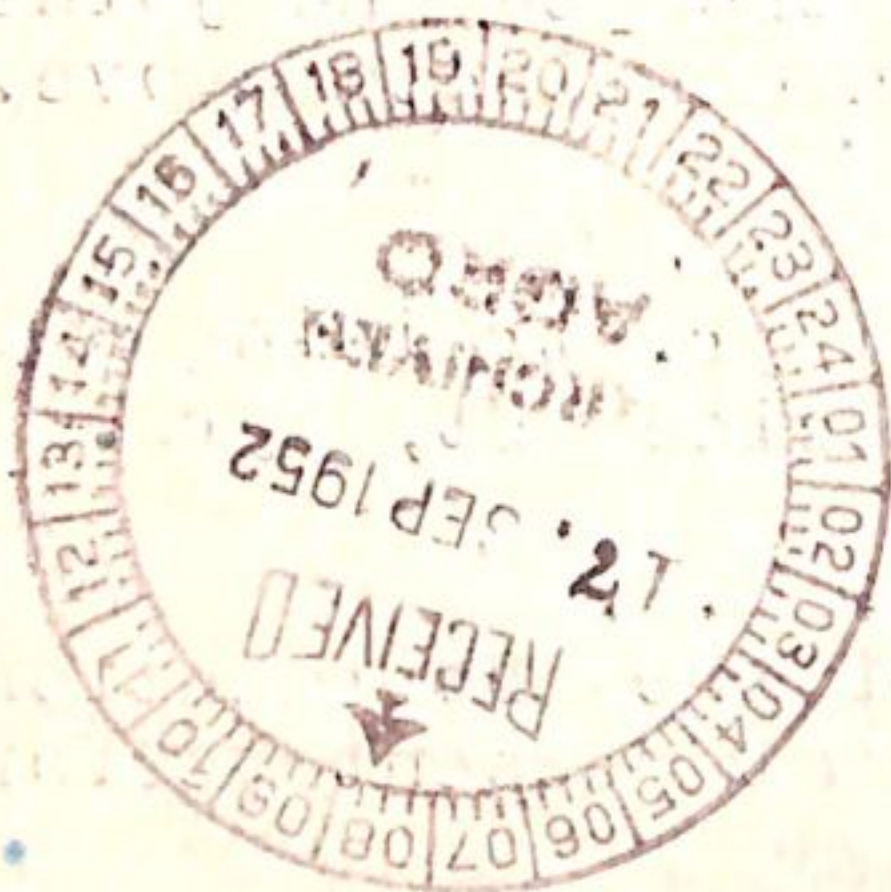
3. Information as to their status of the aforementioned released prisoners and civilians who are at present performing duties in my company.

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IN THE FIELD
May 1, 1944

Subject: COMMISSION REQUEST FOR,
To : 5-14-1113 (ZHI-113), In the field.

I. Request commission in the Army of the United States for the following:

A. Technical Sergeant SUSIMO BONOAN ✓

He is twenty five (25) years old, single, and of excellent health with the following qualifications:

1. Graduate Nueva Vizcaya High School in the year 1936.
2. One year teaching in Sta. Fe Elementary School in the school year 1938-39.
3. Completed five and one-half Months training in the year 1940.

B. Privat first Class BENJAMIN FEIR

He is twenty five (25) years old, single, and of excellent health with the following qualifications:

1. Third year student of the St. Mary's High School, in the year 1939.
2. Army driver PS in 1940. He is an assistant machine gunner of the 26th Cavalry.

C. Mr. FRANCISCO TUGAB ✓

He is twenty-two (22) years old, single, and of excellent health with the following qualifications:

1. Graduate ST. Mary's High School in the year 1937.
2. Graduate A.A. (Pre-Med) Ateneo de Manila in the year 1939.
3. Second year student in the College of Medicine of UST, Manila.
4. He finished three years in ROTC in UST,

D. Mr. BENJAMIN CALAYCAY ✓

He is ~~27~~ twenty-six (26) years old, single, and of excellent health with the following qualifications:

1. Graduate Nueva Vizcaya High School in the year 1935.
2. Finished Typewriting, Stenography and Bookkeeping in the year 1939.
3. Second year student in the College of Engineering, National University, Manila in the year 1941.
4. He finished one and one half year in ROTC in the National University.

II. These men have been under my close observation since the time they ~~joined my company~~ joined my company last March 13, 1944. They have shown efficient and satisfactory services whenever they are detailed to some mission. They are hardworkers, active, loyal and trustworthy.

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11 June 44

Subject: Excess strength.
To : 2-1113

1. In compliance with your 2nd call to all Unit Leaders, dated May 27, 1944, re submission of names of the excess Enlisted Men to be transferred to the Medical Service, the following are submitted:

1. Sgt. Jose de Vina, Inf-Res.
2. " Mariano Gacusan, Inf-Res.
3. Corp. Gervacio Bicad, Inf-Res.
4. " Vicente Danio, Inf-Res.

There are only 4 excess in this Co. as per monthly roster for April 30, 1944. The actual strength of this Co. is 120 as I inducted one Benjamin Calaycay to take the place of Sgt. Teodoro Cabudlay who surrendered on May 23, 1944 and to be my co. clerk. I recommended all NCOs. to be transferred to the MS. because if possible I want to give chances to my men who deserve promotion.

2. Be informed that the original communication and the first call re this matter are missing. I don't know where my predecessor place it. However, I concluded that he had already acted upon as he did not turned over any pending correspondence or any records when I releave him, hence no step had been taken by me.

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Msg. No. 11

To: 2-1113

1. In reply to your Msg. No. 33, I am glad to inform you that all the records that had been shown to me by the Enlisted Men are now in safe place.

2. Upon checking all the records of this Co., the following are missing:

- (a) Morning Reports.
- (b) Duty Rosters.
- (c) Mess Stock Book or Records of food-stuff consumed by this Company.
- (d) Service Records of Enlisted Men.
- (e) Enlistment Records of Enlisted Men.

According to the Actg. 1st Sgt. of this Co. they were not making Morning Report, Duty Roster and Mess Stock Book.

3. Be informed that the total number of arms mentioned in par. 3 of my Msg. No. 1 are the only arms reported to me by the Actg. 1st Sgt. The arm of Sgt. Teodoro Cabudlay was included in my report because we were not inform yet that time about his surrender. I don't know where are the rest of the arms of this Co. because my predecessor did not turn over anything to me as I stated in my Msg. No. 1, that he did not care to turn over his accountabilities and responsibilities. I suggest that this matter be referred to him.

4. I am sorry to inform you that we did not built our camp yet because we could not find good place around here. I am planning to move to **37FLD** because according to my men that place is very good and the surrounding are thick jungles.

5. Msg. for "H" was already sent on the 10th instant thru E-113D. I instructed E-113D to establish msg. relay station between his place to "H". Hope he had done already.

6. While we are here in **PTLAD** I will do all my best to inform you of any patrol going there from this side.

7. I am glad to inform you that E-113D had stored already more than 20 cavans of rice in during their short stay there. They are still storing. We have also 4 cavans from . Our men also in Sto. Domingo are busy storing rice.

8. I received the inclosed note, 2 drawers, 1 long pant and 1 table cloth from my sweetie.

9. So long and good luck to you and others.

Handwritten signature and date: [Signature] 6/18/44

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23 June 44

Subject: Quarterly Report of Confiscated Properties of Spies.
To : 2-1113.

1. In compliance with par. 7 of the 1st Indorsement of the Operating Principles and Procedure, dated March 30, 1944, the following are submitted:

2 cows

2. The above cows belongs to Lorenzo Aliaga of Bambang, Nueva Vizcaya, reported as a spy and whose name appear in the black list.

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Subject: Deserted Enlisted Man
T o : 2-1113

1. On the 18th instant our men in AAU. BULOLOU reported to me verbally that Pfc. Pedro Buyan of this Co., who is under E-113D, is in Indiana telling the people that he does not like to return to his camp because he likes to surrender. He was convincing the Dist. President of the place, to accompany him to go to ~~his~~ ~~camp~~ but ~~him~~ in my camp, without fail for proper investigation. The patrol returned but failed to get him due to the following reasons:

(a) The patrol were unable to enter the barrio because there were PC patrols in the place that night. They, however, called for the Dist. Pres. of the barrio and made arrangement with him. The President promised to get and bring him to their place. The President and his Volunteer Guards went to the house where Buyan was staying and told him to serenade. The latter agreed, so they went out but when they reach the road, 24 trucks of Japs passed by and Buyan ran away. From that time they could not locate him. My patrol had waited there for 2 days, waiting for him but he never returned. According to the patrol, the Pres. did not tie him because he might shout.

2. The patrol sent runners to notify all contacted barrios that in case Buyan will appear in their barrio, they will apprehend him and notify us immediately. Now I am sending another set of patrol to hunt for him.

3. Pfc. Buyan surrendered to the Japs last Aug. 1943 but he joined again his organization last Sept. 1943 when he was released. He was one of the runners sent by E-113D last June 9, 1944 to my place to get the old typewriter but when they returned, he separated from his companion when they were on the way. No report from E-113D has yet been received whether his companion arrived already in his camp.

4. Pfc. Buyan had been asking pass from me for a week 'cause he is going to elope with a girl he intend to marry. I did not grant his request because the girl he is going to elope is about to be married with a man helping the organization, and moreover, it is a foolishness to marry these days. I advised him not to marry yet because the war is not yet finish and he could not enjoy with his wife 'cause he is hiding. I am sure this is the cause of his desertion.

5. Request instruction what shall I do to this fellow in case we can get him before he will surrender.



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Subject: Msg. No. 16.
To : 2-1113

1. Am sorry to inform that Hq that Pfc. P. Buyan, of this Co. surrendered to Rosario in the morning of 20th instant. According to the report, he was turned in by 2 Volunteer Guards of Gadgadan, San Antonio, Bambang, N. V. Their names not known. However, I inquired from my SS men in the south to find out and as soon as I receive his report, same will be reported to that Hq. According to the report of the people he squealed all the places of our camps and also all the barrios supporting us. Now people of San Fernando, Abinganan, Litlit, Barao, Mabuslu, Orang, Dolliao, and Labni, all sities of San Fernando and Labni, Bambang were ordered to move to the town last June 20th. People of Abian, Bambang are concentrated in Macate, Bambang along the National Road.

2. That Hq is informed that one PC, Emilio Calulut, who escaped from the custody of the PC and joined E-113J sometimes this month, escaped in the night of 17th with one rifle Cal. 30 and 125 rounds of ammunition. According to the report, Calulut surrendered to Rosario and now he is with Rosario patrolling all the places he know where the hiding elements are staying. According to E-113J, he went down with the rest of the men to get supplies that night leaving only 5 men including the PC in the camp but when they returned he was informed that the PC escaped when they are sleeping. Am only glad that he did not kill his companions before he ran. I wrote E-113J to send him in my place for further investigation but according to his report he should send him thru the runner this week.

3. This PC was charge of stealing bolts of the rifle of his co-soldiers, according to the investigation of E-113J and my 1st Sgt. who was with E-113J when that PC came to surrender when they are still in the south. I assent that I over looked to notify that Hq about him before. In this connection, I hope for the absolution of my superiors. I admonished myself for repetition of same.

4. In view of the surrender of Buyan and the PC we feel unsafe in our place 'cause Buyan knows it. At present I am worried 'cause no more good place to transfer and the people of ~~AAO. BULOLOLO~~ might be concentrated to town also. This barrio is the only source of our supplies now. The people of ~~DEBOLLE~~, ~~ELLELOLO~~ and ~~ELLELOLO~~ are willing to support us but the question is quite far from here and we could not stay there else 'cause no good place to built camp.

5. Be informed that Dist. Pres. Calas of Mangayang, Dupax who surrendered Sgt. T. Cabudlay last May 23, 1944, was already eradicated by the patrol sent by E-113J. Hilario Cacayan, Navarete of Aritao, one spy from Baliling, Santa Fe and one more spy of unknown place were extirpated by the men of "H". My agents does not know the names of the two spies hence, their names were not enumerated herein.

6. According to my agent, H-1119 was really shot and captured. He reported further that H-1119 squealed one Juan Anongos of Almaguer, Bambang, that he was the one who fed them. Now Juan Anongos was put in the garrison and was maltreated severely. The latter is still in the garrison.

7. It is rumored that H-1120 returned to San Jose, N. E. but I am not sure of it 'cause some of his men are there around ~~ELLELOLO~~.

8. My men sent to the place of E-113D to get the rifle Cal. 27, returned because they could not pause thru due to the constant patrol of Japs and PC to the E, and moreover, they were informed that E-113J moved to ~~ELLELOLO~~ because they were pressed also in their place.

9. It is the opinion of my officers and men that the eradication of Pro-Japs and spies are resulting plenty of gifts to the civilians; causing the abscision of our communication and supplies; and abstruse the civilians to work on their farm, as it is now, they are being mustered in town. In this connection, it is requested that the eradication of Pro-Japs and spies be adjourned for the time being. In this connection, however, I don't mean to antagonize the standing order of Higher HQ but I presented this idea only for your information and benevolent consideration.

10. Hope you feel alright now 'cause the people in the north returned already. The Doc and the two guys proceeded down and hope they will be successful.

11. My agents were not able to verify some of the Japs and IO garrisons 'cause people are restricted to travel from one place to another. I hope you understand our situation here.

12. Request instruction if we can get families of Pro-Japs and spies as hostages.

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Inclosed is a list of supplies received in that
which I forgot to leave it when left the place.
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28 June 44

Subject: Compliance w/ G. O. No. 3, HQ-1122, cs., letter from HQ-1122, cs.
To : 2-1113.

1. In compliance with G. O. No. 3, and letter, from HQ-1122, cs., the following are submitted:

- a. EOOEF FFOBT CRUML -TRIA SF3
- b. ELOOT FNLEB 1TSR9 UNM-L MTEIA DNE
- c. ELOSO MF-EI NM2BF TRREU RMILW TEAAD N/
- d. EOOOM FENMB -TRRU AMRLW TEAAD N/
- e. EFOOT OOCEV FCRER ENSVM ERBOT TNPLR FLUMI MGSLD /-TLD EIAOA UWRNI P2
- f. EROEO AFDE9 H9M-8 ATRRM UUMNL ETITA NND
- g. EOCFG SMBTC RUMLT -AN
- h. NOCNF MMAUT OTM-0 --LNTH .AAAD

I can not report the amount of ammunitions on hand 'cause I did not receive yet the report of E-113D. I will try my best to report this item next report.

2. The following medical supplies on hand are as follows:

- 1/2 Bottle Dysentery, Cholera & Typhoid Vaccine
- 2 Ampules Ferricodile
- 1 Ampule Quinine & Urea Hydrochloride
- 3 Tablets Aspirin
- 12 Tablets Antacid Stomachic Carminative
- 20 Tablets Quinine



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10 cc. Tincture of Iodine
15 cc. Alcohol, Denature
1 Roll Guaze Bandage 10 yards X 2"
1 " " " " 10 yards X 1-1/2"
1/6 lbs. Cotton

I had given money to our under cover men to buy medicines but we have not received them yet. We could not commandeer medicines in our area, as the Botica in Bambang and Aritao have very few medicines on stock and moreover, our agents are afraid to contact the owners, due to the present development of the situation.

3. Total number of men sick during the month are as follows:

- a. Two men sick of malaria.
- b. One man sick of "Pasma".
- c. One man sick of Boil.

The man sick of "Pasma" is in critical condition. He is at present in Dupax for treatment. According to report he is between life and death. I hope he will not die.

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Recd 14 July 44
6:00 PM

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10 July 44

Subject: Msg. No. 26
To : 2-1113

1. I was really surprised because my call down re my S-2 report has resulted to appreciation and commendation. In this regards, I feel sorry because it seems I had convinced my superior against his will. That call down was really very hurting and as I am not executing orders of superior and doing my part. To be frank, I am not like others that they are only fence sitting. For your information, since I took command of this Co., we are always busy cleaning our surrounding, collecting arms, training the men, etc. If that Hq is talking of neatness, I can't help because the old typewriter of this Co. is out of order and being worn-out. This discrepancy, however, was already corrected when we got the machine of the old.

2. I really over look to certify my compliance to G. O. No. 3 but I hope you will over look this discrepancy. I admonish myself for repetition of same. I will try also my best to avoid using 1st and 2nd persons in my future msgs.

3. I sent E-113J to south to connect the line between my place to "H" but he reported that H-112C and all his men are now around RNUNG AALAB, A, CO, R. NG ES. Your two last msgs to H-112C were returned by E-113J he could not send runner to locate them. The two msgs with the last msg you sent, are here in my possession. I am starting tomorrow for the south to see the agents going to N and the same time to send runner to located the whereabouts of H-112C. I hope I will be successful.

4. That Hq is informed that the plan re BC and suspension of cleaning our yards, I had not received any copy up to the present writing. Request that this Co. be furnished a copy for file purposes.

5. I received the 10 rds cal. 12 and one rifle but the rifle is defective and being worn-out. Thanks for the offer. I can't send you the rifle Cal. 22 because it was with E-113D ~~before~~ and now he is out of contact with me since the 10th of last month. I had just received a report from E-113J that E-113D was shot on the forehead in Kongkong by the PC patrol. Date of the incident not known. His pistol, one rifle and one shot gun were taken by the PC and the men were scattered. I believed that the PC's who raided them are the patrol reported in msg. No. 24 who went to Kongkong. This report however, is not yet confirm. I am taking step to verify this report and result will be reported later. It is also reported by our agent that Pvt. Remigio V. Calaycay, MC and one civilian from Kongkong, were captured in San Fernando, Bambang on the 4th instant w/out arm. I believe they are coming to deliver msgs or to report what happened to them in Kongkong. The story of their capture is this - when they reach San Fernando they went to a house and request the owner to cook food for them. The owner of the house, did not hesitate the request. While they were waiting, they don't know that two civilians ran to town to report to the Japs and BC and patrol of Japs and BC started at once and encircled the house where R. Calaycay and his companion were resting. The two boys were taken by surprise. They were severely maltreated but they did not squealed. They were brought to Aritao on the following day. The names of the two civilians who went to report and owner of the house not reported. However, step to get their names is being taken.

6. I am really sorry what is happening to my men. If the report about E-113D is true, it will be a great lost on our part. I hope not true. Am sorry to state herein that all my losses are coming from E-113D. I don't know how he control his men. Upon I took command of this Co., I called my two officers and gave them little instruction how to handle men and how to run a unit and possible precaution and to maintain secrecy. I believed that they are also taking all possible precaution. I think it is their fate.

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7. One Special Agent of the Military Police by the name Jacinto Palapuz, at present a special carpenter in Batu Ferry, was dispatched last of the 5th instant. Another Special Agent of the Governor by the name Melecio Mandapat, as claim by the entire barrio of Sto. Domingo and even his sons and daughters as a spy, reported him to E-113J. He was dispatched on the 8th instant.

8. Devil and Brauly are still in the south. I will try to see and show them your order.

Best regards and good luck.

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11 July 44

P. S.

1. Your msg No. 56 was received at about 5:00 p. m. yesterday. That Hq is informed that we did not yet move to our new camp near the barrio but instead we will move to our retreating camp over this place. I posted few number of men down to receive msgs and supplies and to serve as our out post. I called E-113J and his men in my place so that we can train them, in-as-much that the cleaning process was suspended.

2. I am sorry to inform you that no rice was deposited in the old camp as stated by Devil. The people of AMU. PULOKU could hardly supply us with polish rice. We are getting mostly palay and we are doing the pounding. I am sending you 5 gantas rice only because we have no enough. Your runner agreed to carry palay and they will pound it there. They will carry 3/4 cavan of palay. We are sending you also some beef (tapa). We will send you more next time. No supplies being received from ORADOR so far.

3. Enclosed blank forms of Pay Rolls for your C.L.P. If you need some more don't hesitate to ask. We have on hand about 3/4 of a booklet for our C.L.P. If you need also red ink I can spare you some.

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10/11/44
9:00 A.M.

HQ: E-113P

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11 October 44

Subject: Recommendation for promotion of EM.
To : E-113

1. The following enlisted men of this Company are hereby recommended for promotion to fill up the existing vacancies of this Company:

- TO BE CORPORALS:**
- (1) Pvt. Fabian, Pedro, E. Inf. Res. He is 3rd yr. Engineering of Mapua Institute of Technology. He is loyal, obedient, hard working and dependable in office work. Has good health, body and military.
 - (2) Pfc. Aniang, Alexander, Inf. Res.
 - (3) Pfc. Sapon, Cristituto, Inf. Res.
 - (4) Pvt. Domingo, Hilario, Inf. Res.
 - (5) Pvt. Pinigat, Bonifacio, Inf. Res.
 - (6) Pvt. Ware, Johnny, Inf. Res.

- TO BE PRIVATES FIRST CLASS:**
- (1) Pvt. Infante, Alfonso, Inf. Res.
 - (2) Pvt. Lumayas, Gregorio, Inf. Res.
 - (3) Pvt. Tomas, Faustino, Inf. Res.
 - (4) Pvt. Savarro, Cirilo, Inf. Res.
 - (5) Pvt. Cabatino, Jose, Inf. Res.
 - (6) Pvt. Laporga, Policarpio, Inf. Res.

2. The qualifications of the rest were not enumerated because to economize stationary. However, they are all qualified to the rank they were recommended. This recommendation was based on their ability and accomplishments.

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