

330.33 "E Co" 2nd BN  
65th Inf Regt 6TH MD

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Authority: *WFO 983076*

RECORD OF EVENTS  
(Diary)

Co. "E" 65th Inf. Regt. 6<sup>th</sup>MD

In the field

Date: 16 Feb. '44

DECEMBER '43

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JANUARY '44

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13-14 Usual camp and outpost duties.

15 1st section under Lt. Villavieja ambushed enemy numbering 4 Japs, and 24 BO's at Sido, Sibalom, Antique, looting palay and working animals. Enemy withdrew without looting a single animal and a single grain of palay with 8 casualties. No casualty on our side.

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27 1st section moved to side for ambushade but failed to contact enemy, returned to its position.

28-31 Usual camp and outpost duties.

FEBRUARY '44

1-16 Usual camp and outpost duties.

*F. V. Requintan*  
FRANCIS V. DAQUINGTAN O-62103  
(Actg)EM, Captain, Infantry  
commanding

DECEMBER - 1943

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DAYS OF MONTH	I	STATION AND RECORD OF EVENTS
16th Wednesday	I	Iglosong- Sections moved to Iganabol, Tabagan, Bato Cueva and Paniusiwan.
17th Thursday	I	Iglosong- Usual outpost duty.
18th Friday	I	Iglosong- Send order for assembly at the MCP in Iglosong
19th Saturday	I	Iglosong- Lecture on the Article of War
20th Sunday	I	Iglosong- Sections moved to Tabagan, Iganabol Bato Cueva and Paniusiwan.
21st Monday	I	Iglosong- Called the conference of Officers and discussed the plan of raid and proceeded for action at 12:00 PM.
22nd Tuesday	I	Iglosong- At 4:15 AM fired the initial fire of the said in Cemetary, Vega's Hill and Sibalom proper.
23rd Wednesday	I	Iglosong- Section II, III and IV rested while section I acted as outpost.
24th Thursday	I	Iglosong- Company prepared for the approach of Christmas and preparation of Christmas tree and delicacies for the event.
25th Friday	I	Iglosong- Christmas Festivities and Midnight Mass by Rev. Allegro and EM were played
26th Saturday	I	Iglosong- Rest and usual camp duties.
27th Sunday	I	Iglosong- Sunday Mass and games
28th Monday	I	Iglosong- Reconnited for new CP and constructed shelter for same.
29th Tuesday	I	Iglosong- CP moved to Iganabol
30th Wednesday	I	Iganabol- Sent out sections for food campaign and the rest constructed the new CP.
31st Thursday	I	Iganabol- Assembled EM and Officer for the New Year festivity.

JANUARY - 1944

1st Saturday	I	Iganabol- Sent men and Officer for food campaign. The area was divided into three sub sectors to facilitate food collection.
2nd Sunday	I	Iganabol- Usual food campaign and supervising IGS arrival
3rd Monday	I	Iganabol- IGS conducted the drill personally.
4th Tuesday	I	IGS inspected the records of the company
5th Wednesday	I	EM and Officer prepared for the evacuation to the north
6th Thursday	I	Iganabol- Preparation for evacuation and at 6:00 PM left MCP for the march.
7th Friday	I	Agricola- CP and sections passed the night and waited for sun set and proceeded.
8th Saturday	I	Sinondolan- CP with one section ahead passed the night and proceeded.
9th Sunday	I	Binanogan, Valderama, CP and sections rested for the night and proceeded to Pangalocagan at the same day.
10th Monday	I	Pangalocagan-Bugasong- Rested for the night and received the order to proceed to barrio Maria by noon of the same day. CO Rome inspected the company and give the men a hint of their mission.
11th Tuesday	I	Barrio Maria- Lausan- Rested for a day at Bo Maria and prepared food for another march to the north.
12th Wednesday	I	Binagbang- Barbaza- Another rest and waited for darkness and continued the march to Batonan, Culasi.
13th Thursday	I	Reached the place (Batonan, Culasi) at 12:10 Midnight.
14th Friday	I	Batonan, Culasi- CO confers with Capt Yep of the CPG and H.K.O. confers with CO ROME.
15th Saturday	I	Batonan, Culasi- This unit was finally moved to its sector for defense.
16th Sunday	I	San Francisco Norte CP transferred to this place with the sections tactically distributed in the defense sector.

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DATE OF MONTH	STATION AND RECORD OF EVENTS
17th Monday	San Francisco, Tibiao- defense line extends from Ba-litanan, Culael to Tibiao proper. establish TCS, along National highway and the beach.
18th Tuesday	San Francisco- sections under respective JO's had closest order drills at early part of the day.
19th Wednesday	San Francisco- Company assembled and lectures given by CO and Lt. C. re-morale and discipline.
20th Thursday	1st moves to Santo Rosario, sections disposed along Palanas river forming a defense line. Establish TCS along National highway and the beach.
21st Friday	Santo Rosario. Explosion heard and alert given. Each section of companies, ready for a stiff resistance.
22nd Saturday	Santo Rosario- Co. assembled and given lectures by CO re-orientation with the civilian population, and organization.
23rd Sunday	Santo Rosario- Rest. All clear.
24th Monday	Santo Rosario- CO Rome passed by and inspected the guards. Inspection of rifles. Rest.
25th Tuesday	Santo Rosario sections at same disposition.
26th Wednesday	Santo Rosario- At 4:00 PM prepare to move. Arrive at Binangbang at 11:00 PM at the same day. Established the defense line extending from Lapa-an to Palanae river.
27th Thursday	Binangbang- established TCS at Ma-ono, Lapa-an and along the beach. Rest.
28th Friday	Binangbang- sections disposed along the beach. sec. 2. captured one "batil" under Capt. Miguel Barrionges which was handed for Culael.
29th Saturday	Binangbang- Cleaning of rifles conducted by all JO's. Rest.
30th Sunday	Binangbang- TCS maintained. prepare for a Mass to be held at Paga, Barbas, build chapel.
31st Monday	Binangbang- Company assembled. close Order drill.
FEBRUARY 4	
1st Tuesday	Binangbang- TCS maintained. Company assembled and lectured by Lt. C. re-morale of San. Chaplain Velasco held Mass for the company.
2nd Wednesday	Binangbang- CO conferred with CO Rome 40. Rest.
3rd Thursday	Binangbang- Company given close order drill and inspection of rifles by the CO.
4th Friday	Binangbang- Rest.
5th Saturday	Binangbang- Lt. IV, transferred from Mac-no to the beach and sec 111, takes post at Barbas proper.
6th Sunday	Binangbang- CO conferred with the Mayor Barbas re-food supply. sections given close order drill by respective JO's.
7th Monday	Binangbang- At 4:00 PM mobilized unarmed men as per order of "One JO".
8th Tuesday	Binangbang TCS maintained. closed traffic along <del>Palanae</del> areas.
9th Wednesday	Binangbang- Company assembled and given instructions re-close traffic. maintained TCS. Unarmed men started 11:00 AM under Sgt. J. Perdeg. sections give aid to <del>Palanae</del> areas.
10th Thursday	Binangbang- maintained TCS. Close guards along the beach. CO confers with the CO Rome.
11th Friday	Binangbang- Company attended Mass at Barbas, St. Lourdes church. Received arms and ammo. Dequarted post to "C" JO.
12th Saturday	Binangbang- Prepare for move. CO confers to CO Rome. Moved at 8:30 PM of same day. Stop at Mac-no at 11:00

on Sunday | Mac-no Left the place at 7:00 PM. Arrived at Guisijan at 11:30  
| PM at the same day. Rest.  
on Monday | ~~Guisijan-Company~~ prepare their loads for cross-country. Left  
| Guisijan 7:00 PM at the same day. Ex. G. left behind with load.  
on Tuesday | Panagalagan-Company takes a rest. Move 7:00 AM.

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RECORD OF EVENTS  
(Diary)

CO. "E" 60th Inf. Regt. 6<sup>th</sup> Div

in the field

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ANEQUITAS V. DAGUINOTAN O-62103  
(Actg)E1, Captain, Infantry  
Commanding

REPORT OF ACTIVITY  
(Diary)

US Co. 65th Inf. Regt.      In the Field      Date 15 April '44

FEBRUARY '44

17-26      Lambayagan, Sibalan, Antique-camp and outpost duties

MARCH '44

- 1      Lambayagan, Sibalan, Antique-sections assembled at CO HQ security area ready for movement and to receive new arms and ammunition.
- 2      Langka, San Joaquin, Iloilo-company assigned to San Joaquin sector. Left Lambayagan at 7:00 AM; Arrived Langka 11:00 AM. Distance covered by march 6 kms.
- 3      sections distributed to cover approaches to security area, reconnoitering parties under CO and PX. 0 left for the poblacion and vicinity, some returned at night.
- 4.      company prepared for the raid on the enemy garrison. At 5:00 AM company moved for the attack.
- 5.      company in attack led by the CO assisted by the PX. 0 and all Junior officers. Engagement began at 6:00 AM and lasted at 8:00 AM when company withdrew. 70 Japs 2 Bo killed and 4 wounded while one killed and one wounded on our part. This was the fiercest enemy encounter the company had.
- 6      company returned to CO. security area, sections moved to their designated area.

7- 12      Usual Camp and outpost duties

- 13      A sqd of B-1 under Sgt. Millondage ambushed enemy at Apdo, Antique killing four and wounding two.  
At the same day a patrol under Lt. Toquillo ambushed enemy at Siwaraen bridge inflicting 3 casualties on the enemy.

14-20      Usual camp and outpost duties.

- 21      2 sections under the CO moved for reengagement to Sibalan sector and to ambush enemy, sections returned at night without effecting any ambuscade.

23-24      Usual camp and outpost duties.

- 25-26      3/4 of the force under the CO moved to Payson for ambuscade.
- 27      enemy numbering 150 was encountered by the force inflicting 18 casualties of the enemy while two on our side were reported killed.

on the same date Lt. Toquillo ambushed enemy at Matsabug killing killing five.

- 30      at 6:00 AM around 300 Japs attacked CO. HQ. A three hour engagement ensued with 12 enemy killed. Troop with drew and the enemy burned the CO. HQ. At the same time 2-2 under Lt. Macuja engaged enemy at Roca for the whole day. Enemy casualty was reported to five.

- 29-31      Igalico, San Joaquin -Usual camp and outpost duties. In place as security-area, sections returned to respective areas.

APRIL '44

- 1- 5      Igalico, San Joaquin, -Usual camp and outpost duties.

6.      At 8:00 AM company was alerted, enemy reported to us at Igalico. At 10:00 AM encountered the enemy. Enemy casualty was reported to be 16 killed and wounded.

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many witnesses taking the advantage of darkness. No casualty on our part. CO assisted by the px. C directed the operation.

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Usual Camp and outpost duties.

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RECORD OF DUTIES

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24th Lt. 60th Inf Combat Team in the field 10 June 1944

in the field  
30 June 1944

- April  
16-30 Usual camp and outpost duties.
- May  
1 Co moved from Butac to Nabog, S. Joaquin, Davao. Left: 7:30 A.M. Arrived 11:00 A.M. Distance covered by march 2 1/8 kms.  
2 Sections disposed: 1st section at Santa Ana, 2nd section at Igualanabac, 3rd section at Matambog, 4th section as security guard at Zamka.  
3-8 Usual camp duties, outpost guards and patrols.  
9 Patrol of 4-2 under Sgt Jose Magbanua ambushed enemy patrol at So. Payonan, San Joaquin, wounded one Jap and one civilian and sent enemy ~~running~~ back to the town.  
10-30 Usual camp duties, outpost guards and patrols.
- June  
1-8 Usual camp duties, outpost guards and patrols.  
4 Co with 45 Japs entered Mantik proper, San Jose, Antique at night to procure palay.  
5 Co arrived from Mantik via Katala and Lang with 9 1/2 cavans of palay.  
26 Regt's S-3 officer and Co S-3 officer inspects Co.  
7-8 Usual camp duties, outpost guards and patrols.  
9 Co left bivouac area to attack San Joaquin poblacion, rested at So. Butalof  
10 Left So. Butalof 2:15 A.M. Arrived town 5:00 A.M. Attacked Jap garrison lasted 9:00 A.M. withdrew to So. Matambog 10:00 A.M. Arrived at bivouac area 2:00 P.M.  
11-12 Usual camp duties, outpost guards and patrols.  
13 1st section moved to Jungao Peak (near San Jose) to cover area from Mantik River to San Joaquin boundary.  
14-16 Usual camp duties, outpost guards and patrols.

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AMBROSIO V. BANCORAN  
(Acting) Captain, Infantry (A) 1st  
Commanding

- Losses: Officers: 1 Lt. Aurelian Asga per SO 27, Hq. 60th Inf 67, Co.  
Losses: 1 Lt. Flores per SO 27, Hq. 60th Inf 67, Co.  
Enlisted men  
Losses: 1 Sgt Jimpas asgt per SO 26, Hq. 2nd Bn. 60th Inf 67, Co.  
1 Pl. Balis asgt per SO 24, Hq. 2nd Bn. 60th Inf 67, Co.  
1 Pvt. Aquino, Genovata, Larajena asgt per SO 18, Hq. 2nd Bn. 60th Inf 67, Co.  
Losses: 1 Regt. Alina died of malaria; 1 S-Sgt. Olima, killed in action, Sgt. Merriel, captured in line of duty; Pvt. Abaquiano, died of influenza; Pvt. Clarito, Diana, Griego, Mag and Martin tried to India 1 per SO 12, Hq. 2nd Bn. 60th Inf. 67, Co.; Pvt. Corero tried to India 1 per SO 10, Hq. 2nd Bn. 60th Inf 67, Co. Pvt. Viesca tried to India 1 per SO 04, Hq. 60th Inf 67, Co.

AMBROSIO V. BANCORAN 0213  
(Acting) Captain, Infantry (A) 1st  
Commanding  
"A" Co. 60th Inf 67.





(Diary)

Co 60th Inf 30th & 4th  
(Organization)

In the Field  
(Station)

31 August  
(Date)

June  
 15 - 24 Nabeog, San Joaquin, Iloilo, usual camp, out  
 post guard and patrols.  
 25 Whole company assembled at go go in preparation  
 for the attack on San Joaquin as ordered by the  
 District commander. Moved to Untalon and rested  
 till 12:00 A.M. Arrived Poblacion 2:00 A.M. on  
 26 the next day for attack. Staged attack on Jap  
 garrison and withdraw at 12:00 A.M.  
 27 resumed attack at early dawn and withdraw at  
 28 - 30 11:00 A.M. Usual camp duties, outpost guard  
 and patrols

July  
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 8 go with selected 34 went out on patrol to  
 ambush enemy.  
 9 CO and patrol engaged enemy at go Langwanan,  
 San Joaquin, Iloilo-killed 3 Nips and 3 GPO's  
 totally wiping out the whole enemy patrol- cap-  
 tured 2 .25 cal rifles (Japs) and 4 .30 cal rif-  
 10 -15 Usual camp duties, outpost guard and patrols.  
 16 Whole company inspected by platoon and training  
 officer, Capt Payot.  
 17 -31 Usual camp duties, outpost guard and patrols

AUGUST  
 1 -45 Usual camp duties, outpost guard and patrols.  
 5. Company moved to Gubay, San Joaquin, Iloilo  
 Left Nabeog, San Joaquin, Iloilo at 7:30 A.M.  
 Arrived Gubay, San Joaquin, Iloilo at 12:30 A.M.  
 distance covered by march 7 1/2 kms  
 6 - 15 garrison training of the whole company in all  
 phases and subjects. Usual camp duties, outpost  
 guard and patrols.

*A. O. Pagano*  
 ARDITAS V. BACHILATAN -631  
 (Actg) captain, Infantry (3)  
 commanding Co 60th Inf

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"E" Co 65th Inf Combat Team      In the field      31 Aug:44  
(Organization)      (Station)      (Date)

June

- 15 - 24 Nabeog, San Joaquin, Iloilo, Usual camp, out post guard and patrols.  
25 Whole Company assembled at Co CP in preparation for the attack on San Joaquin as ordered by the District Commander. Moved to Untalon and rested till 12:00 A.M. Arrived Poblacion 2:00 A.M. of the next day for attack. Staged attack on Jap garrison and withdraw at 12:00 A.M.  
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July

- 1 - 7 Usual camp duties, outpost guards and patrols.  
8 CO with selected EM went out on patrol to ambushed enemy.  
9 CO and patrol engaged enemy at Bo Langwanan, San Joaquin, Iloilo-killed 3 Japs and 3 CMC's totally wiping out the whole enemy patrol- captured 2 .25 cal rifles (Japs) and 4 .30 cal Rifle  
10 -15 Usual camp duties, outpost guard and patrols.  
16 Whole Company inspected by plans and Training officer, Capt Payot.  
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ANECIPAS V. BAGUIMOTAN -62103  
(Actg) Captain, Infantry (EM)  
commanding "E" Co 65th CT

## STRENGTH RETURN

WBCo. 65th Inf combat team  
(organization)

In the field  
(station)

31 AUG 144  
(date)

## STRENGTH RETURN

Components	Officers				Enlisted men			
	Belonging to the Unit		Attached		Belonging to the Unit		Attached	
	Pre-lab	Present & absent	Pre-lab	Present & absent	Pre-lab	Present & absent	Pre-lab	Present & absent
see COMPANY	1	-	1	-	144	-	144	6
TOTALS	1	-	1	-	144	-	144	6

## STRENGTH BY RANK AND BY GRADE

Branch of service	Officers				Enlisted men					
	Capt	1st Lt	2nd Lt	3rd Lt	Total	Sgt	Sgt 1st	Sgt 2nd	Private	Total
Infantry	1	1	-	1	3	5	13	15	20	191
TOTALS	1	1	-	1	3	5	13	15	20	191

## STATUS OF OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN

	Officers				Enlisted men					
	Capt	1st Lt	2nd Lt	3rd Lt	Total	Sgt	Sgt 1st	Sgt 2nd	Private	Total
OFFICERS										
(Actg) REG										
(Actg) RES										
(Actg) EM	1				1					
(Actg) RES										
(Actg) ROTC										
Enlisted men										
REG							4	2	1	1
RES							7	13	15	137
Vol							2	1	4	53
TOTALS	1	1	-	1	3	5	13	15	20	191

## ALTERATIONS SINCE LAST MONTHLY STRENGTH RETURN

	Gains				Losses			
	By trans	By promo	By enlistment	Total	By trans	Dismissed	Invalid	Total
	for	tion	ment	Gains	for	misses	labled	Losses
OFFICERS	1	1		2	2			2
Enlisted men	4	1		5	2	1		3

## Note, Officers:

Gains: 3rd Lt Tabalingsco asgd er SO/104, Hq. 2nd Bn. 65th Inf CT. P-3rd Lt Caday asgd per SO/29, Hq. 65th Inf CT. Lt Macuja promoted from P-3rd Lt to 1st Lt per SO/38, Hq. 65th Inf CT.

Losses: Lt Morella trfd to 3rd Bn. 65th Inf CT per SO/40, Hq. 2nd Bn. 65th Inf CT. Lt Villavieja trfd to 2nd Co. 65th Inf CT per SO/59, Hq. 65th Inf CT. Lt Esteban trfd to 2nd Co. per SO/11b, Hq. 65th Inf CT.

## Enlisted Men:

Gains: Pfc Cabano asgd per SO/104, Hq. 2nd Bn. 65th Inf CT; Pvt Moleto asgd per SO/108, Hq. 65th Inf CT; Pvt T. Uelleja asgd per SO/41, Hq. 2nd Bn. 65th Inf CT; Pvt Pubria asgd per SO/38, Hq. 2nd Bn. 65th Inf CT.

Losses: Sgt Simpas trfd to 63rd Inf CT per SO/85, Hq. 65th Inf CT. Cpl Dais trfd to 2nd Co. 65th Inf CT per SO/85, Hq. 65th Inf CT. Pvt Apollinario Vicente dropped per SO/209, Hq. 65th Inf CT.

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16th Wednesday	I	Iglosong		Sections moved to Igeanadi, Tabagan, Bato Cueva and Panisukan.
17th Thursday	I	Iglosong		Usual outpost duty.
18th Friday	I	Iglosong		Sent order for assembly at the FGP in Iglosong
19th Saturday	I	Iglosong		Discussion on the attitude of our
20th Sunday	I	Iglosong		Sections moved to Tabagan, Igeandol Bato Cueva and Panisukan.
21st Monday	I	Iglosong		Called the conference of Officers and discussed the plan of raid and proceeded for action at 12:00 PM.
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24th Thursday	I	Iglosong		Company prepared for the approach of Christmas and preparation of Christmas trees and delicacies for the event.
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31st Thursday	I	Igaro		Assembled EM and Officer for the New Year festivity.
JANUARY - 1944				
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11th Tuesday	I	Barrio Maria-Lau-an		Rested for a day at Bo Maria and prepared food for another march to the north.
12th Wednesday	I	Binagbang-Barbaza		Another rest and waited for darkness and continued the march to Batonan, Culasi.
13th Thursday	I	Batonan, Culasi		Reached the place (Batonan, Culasi) at 12:10 Midnight.
14th Friday	I	Batonan, Culasi		CO confers with Capt Yap of the CPG and MEK.O. confers with CO ROMER.
15th Saturday	I	Batonan, Culasi		This unit was finally moved to its proper defense.
16th Sunday	I	San Francisco Norte		CP transferred to this place with the sections tactically distributed in the defense sector.

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 IV PHILIPPINE CORPS  
 HQ 2ND BN 85TH INF REGT 83RD DIVISION  
 (Free Enemy in the field)

28 Nov. '42

STRENGTH REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

OFFICERS

REGISTERED MEN

OFFICERS				REGISTERED MEN							Total
1st Lt	2nd Lt	3rd Lt	Total	1st Sgt	Sgts	Cpl	Pfc	Pvts	Attach	Total	
1st Lt	2nd Lt	3rd Lt	Off	1st Sgt					for duty		
1		5	6	1	10	10	25	64	17	127	
Total	1		6	1	10	10	25	64	17	127	

*F. V. Aquino*  
 FRANCIS V. AQUINO  
 1st Lieut. Infantry  
 Commanding

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DELIVERING THE BALLOT TO THE ELECTOR  
Firma del Inspector o del secretario de eleccion  
que entregó la balota al electorREMARKS  
OBSERVACIONES

- 16 Japs penetrated Sectors II and III. Lt. BANA, Sector leader of Sector II having received the "Lie Low" order, did not give any resistance but withdrew with his men for the Security Area. Lt. BURGAS of Sector III was not able to receive the order on time. At noon he ambushed a group of 60 of the enemy armed with TPs, M1, and rifles who were moving among the houses in Barrio Intero (Sibolan). Casualties were not known. In this encounter, 16 civilians who were caught and tied by the enemy took advantage of the firing to untie their bonds and flee from the shots and from the enemy.
- 17 Sections I and II arrived from the field. Section II reported they were fired upon by Japs numbering 70 at Iglelico (San Joaquin) as they passed that barrio for the Security Area. The two sections returned without a single loss of life.
- 18 Section III arrived. A noon firing was heard at Langa (San Joaquin). Reports were received later that the Japs who fired on the men of Section II at Iglelico had moved down the Icaravagan River and were fired upon by a platoon of HOME "B". This firing was made to slacken the advance of the enemy while the rest of the company (B) withdrew for safety. Meanwhile the Bn Hqs and the 3rd and 4th Platoons of the unit (our unit) withdrew for the mountains of Ling-an. The Co Hqs and the 1st and 2nd Platoons remained in their respective bivouacs for there was less danger here of being located by the enemy.
- 19 Before sunrise the Japs began burning Barrio Tabang which is just above Langa and about 1-1/8 kms SW of the 3rd and 4th Platoons' bivouac. Smoke was seen rising from the barrio while occasionally shots from the enemy's rifles were heard the whole day.
- 20 Early in the morning reports were received that the enemy had left Barrio Tabang and went in the direction where the Bn Hqs and the 3rd and 4th Platoons of our unit withdrew, passing through Taburan where the two platoons were bivouaced. Luckily the enemy did not see the huts for it was dark when they passed. A patrol was sent to Tabang to verify the destruction wrought by the enemy. It was found that many houses and rice stacks were burned, cattle, pigs, and chickens carried away, and several persons including two members of Lt. Col. GARDNER's family were killed.
- 21 Japs proceeded to the coast of San Joaquin where they behaved properly. There they no longer burned houses nor killed people they saw.
- 22 Reports were received that the enemy had gone away. With danger from them gone, all the Platoons returned to their former bivouacs to resume garrison duties.
- 23-24 Usual garrison duties.

SECTION AND RECORD OF EVENTS DIARYFOR NOVEMBER '43

- 1 Somewhere in San Joaquin - Usual garrison duties.
- 2 Orders to send 60 per cent of the unit out into the different areas of harvest assigned to the unit were received. Preparations were made to execute the order.

3 : Three sections were sent out into the sector assigned to the unit to  
 1 : execute the orders to harvest and collect rice.  
 4-59 : Usual field duties.  
 50 : "low low" order was lifted. All Officers and BM engaged in the harvest  
 1 : and those on Special Mission were recalled.

SECTION AND NUMBER OF OTHER BATTAL  
NOVEMBER '43

1 : Orders to attack or capture if possible the Jap outposts of Sululacno,  
 1 : Bgala, and Tarepis were received. Preparations for the attack began.  
 2 : Preparations for the attack were made.  
 7 : All Combat sections proceeded to their assembly points or "jump off"  
 1 : points.  
 8 : 4:00 AM firing was heard in the different Jap posts assigned to the  
 1 : unit. All the combat sections had launched their attack. The fight  
 1 : lasted till daybreak. None of the sections was able to capture the  
 1 : posts assigned due to the fact that the enemy was warned by their elec-  
 1 : trical devices and because the enemy fire was superior. All sections  
 1 : withdrew to their assembly areas with instructions to resume further  
 1 : operations (ambushes) against the enemy.  
 13 : Situation unchanged.  
 15 : Sounds of an encounter was heard in the direction of HOME "B" sector.  
 1 : Reports were received later that a platoon of HOME "B" had ambushed  
 1 : a big number of the enemy inflicting several casualties on them. At  
 1 : night reports were also received that the enemy would penetrate our  
 1 : sector. Preparations were made to give them a reception.  
 14 : A little past 8:00 AM enemy came, not knowing that a section was ready  
 1 : for them. As they were between 70-80 yards away they were fired upon.  
 1 : There were three successive ambushes. As a result 20 of the 130-140  
 1 : Japs and WDCs were slain. None was slain on our side.  
 15 : All clear.

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*William*  
 LUIS G. MAGBANUA (O-82242)  
 Captain, Infantry  
 Commanding

NUMBER  
 OF  
 BATTAL  
 DIVISION  
 TO WHICH  
 ORDER IS  
 REFERRED  
 ON THE  
 DATE OF  
 THIS  
 ORDER

SHIRT AND NUMBER OR NAME DESIGNATION  
 OF MEMBER  
 OF RESERVE  
 OF THE  
 ORDER

SIGNATURE AND NAME  
 OF OFFICER

ORDER  
 NUMBER  
 OF ORDER

"B" Co 85th Inf Combat Team  
(Organization)

In the Field  
(Station)

31 Oct '44  
(Date)

STRENGTH RETURN

Components	Officers				Enlisted Men			
	Belonging to the Unit		Attached		Belonging to the Unit		Attached	
	Present	Absent	Present	Absent	Present	Absent	Medical	
"B" Co	6	6	1	1	145	145	5	
TOTAL	6	6	1	1	145	145	5	

STRENGTH BY RANK AND BY GRADE

Branch of Service	Officers					Enlisted Men					
	Capt	1st Lt	2d Lt	3d Lt	Total	US Sgt	Sgt	Cpl	Pvt	Total	
Infantry	1	1	1	3	6	5	14	15	20	91	145
TOTAL	1	1	1	3	6	5	14	15	20	91	145

STATUS OF OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN

Officers	Officers					Enlisted Men					
	Capt	1st Lt	2d Lt	3d Lt	Total	US Sgt	Sgt	Cpl	Pvt	Total	
(Evt) Reg											
(Evt) Rsg											
(Actg) Reg			1	1	2						
(Actg) Rsg				1	1						
(Actg) ROTC		1			1						
Enlisted Men											
Reg						1	8	2	1	9	
Rsg						4	7	13	15	36	
Pvt							3	0	4	54	
TOTAL	1	1	1	3	6	5	14	15	20	91	

ALTERATIONS SINCE LAST MONTHLY STRENGTH RETURN

	Gains				Losses				Total Losses
	By trans	By promo	By enlist	Total	By trans	Discharged	Disab	Died	
OFFICERS	1			1					
ENLISTED MEN	2			2	1	2			3

Note: Officers  
Gains: 3d Lt Sixto Magarana trfd fr "B" Co, 30 No 51 Hqs  
2nd Lt 85 Inf OT

Enlisted Men

Gains: Pfc Vegefría, 30 No 51 Hqs  
2nd Lt 85 Inf OT; Pvt Requero, 1 made trfd frs "B" Co same Co.

Losses: Pfc Peralas, Bonifacio trfd to Hqs 2nd Bn, 30 No 35 Hqs, 2nd Bn  
Cpl Barrientos, Quintin - Honorably discharged

30 No 145 par 3 Hqs 65 Inf OT.  
Pvt Otico, A. Pelinaria - Honorably discharged  
per same Co, Hqs 65 Inf OT.

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AMBITAS V. CALAMPONAN 62103  
Captain, Infantry  
Commanding

RECORD OF EVENTS  
(Diary)

1st Co 65th Inf Combat Team  
(Organization)

In the Field  
(Station)

31 Oct '44  
(Date)

August

- 16 At 4:00 AM the Co moved to the Bc. Bucaya to offer the Prayer's day and returned at 4:00 PM.
- 17 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols and garrison training.
- 18 -27 U Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols;  
28 Co Hq moved from Bc. Gubay to Qui-ob at 7:30 AM and arrived at 9:00 AM, at a distance of 2 1/2 km.
- 29 -31 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols.
- September
- 1 - 28 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols.
- 27 -28 The Co. raided the Jap's post in Guinsang-an.
- 29 -30 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols.
- October
- 1 -16 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols and Garrison training for Hq personnel and recruits.
- 17 -20 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols.
- 21 The whole Company with Co Hq moved from Qui-ob to Bc. Asluman, San Jose, Antique.
- 22 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols.
- 23 The Company moved at 6:00 PM from Bc. Asluman to raid Jap's outpost at Bololakao.
- 24 The Company maintained the raid at Bololakao.
- 25 The Company with Co Hq moved from Bc. Asluman to Bc. Galala, San Jose, Antique.
- 26 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols.
- 27 The Company moved at 6:00 PM from Bc. Galala to raid San Jose proper but the mission was partly accomplished inasmuch as the intercepting sections had only accomplished their mission. Co Hq moved from Bc. Galala, San Jose to Hantik.
- 28 Co Hq moved from Hantik to Bc. Buhang, San Jose, Antique.
- 29 The 3rd Section was sent to Odiong to ambush enemy patrol from San Jose to Sibalom.
- 30 -31 Usual Camp duties: outpost guard and patrols.

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ANICITAS Y. DACUNOTAN 62103  
Captain, Infantry  
Commanding

STRENGTH RETURN

Strength of Co. "B", 65th Inf. Regt. in the field midnight: 28 Feb. '44

Components	Officers			Enlisted Men			
	Belonging to the Unit			Attached			
	Pre-1	Ab-1	Present	from other unit	Pre-1	Ab-1	Present
Co. "B"	0	-	0	-	129	-	129
TOTALS	0	-	0	-	129	-	129

Note: Six (6) Medical Men are attached to this unit. 38 newly inducted vols were assigned as per HQ No. 13, 14, Rome 30, dated 24 Dec 43.

STRENGTH BY RANK AND GRADE

Branch of service	Officers				Enlisted Men			
	Capt	1st Lt	2nd Lt	Total	Sgt	Sgt	Pvt	Total
Infantry	1	1	2	4	1	1	114	116
TOTALS	1	1	2	4	1	1	114	116

Note: One (1) 2nd Lt. Assigned to this unit per un-numbered HQ, Rome 30, dated 28 Jan, '44; Cpl. Jose Magbanua promoted to Sgt. per HQ No. 13, Rome, dated 25 Dec. '43. Pvts. Baculina and Perales prom. to Pfc. per HQ No. 1, Rome 30, dated 1 Jan. 44.


STATUS OF OFFICERS AND EM

	Officers				Enlisted Men			
	Capt	1st Lt	2nd Lt	Total	Sgt	Sgt	Pvt	Total
Officers:								
(Bvt) Regt								
(Bvt) Regt								
(Actg) EM	1	1		2				
(Actg) Regt			2	2				
(Actg) Vol			1	1				
(Actg) HQ			1	1				
Enlisted Men:								
Regt				1	1	4	2	114
Regt					5	7	114	136
Vol				1		3	1	144
TOTALS	1	1	2	4	1	1	114	116

ALTERATIONS SINCE LAST RETURN

	Gains (A & O)				Losses (A & O)			
	By	By	By	Total	By	By	By	Total
	transfer	promotions	enlist	gains	transfer	dis	dis	total
Officers	1	-	-	1				1
enlisted men	37	3		40				4
TOTALS	38	3		41				5

Note: (Gains) One (1) 2nd Lt was assigned to this unit per un-numbered HQ, Rome 30 dated 28 Jan. 44; 38 newly inducted vols assigned to this unit per HQ, No. 13 HQ, Rome 30, dated 24 Dec '43 but one was captured by enemy while on duty with Rome 30 200; three EM were promoted, one to Sgt and two to Pfc. Losses: Lt. Apayart was captured by the enemy in line of duty; Cpl. Gresenoio was captured by enemy while on special mission; Pfc. Calado was captured by enemy while on duty with Rome 200; Pvt. Remigio, newly inducted vols assigned to this unit was captured by the enemy while on duty with Rome 30 200.

  
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 (Actg) Maj, Captain, Infantry  
 Commanding



330.33 "E CO" 1st Bn  
65th Inf REGT 6TH MD

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