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In the Field

28 Feb '44

Subject: Information Report-

To : CO, Co-B- 72d Engr Bn

1. Hereunder are the informations gain from one of my Mata Haris:

a. Yesterday Feb 27 '44, Japanese held a meeting in Baguensis. A Mere spoke urging the civilians as well as soldiers and their relatives and friends living in the mountains to come to the Japs area and live peacefully therein. This Mere has been telling the public that he has been a Capt. in the Army. Another spokesman, Manol Triniada, Deputy Governor of Gr. Neg. also convinced the people to come down from the mountains and surrender to the Japs forces.

2. The Japs will have their next mountain campaign on the 4th or the 5th of March '44.

3. Japs strength in Baguensis is estimated to be 100.

4. Active Japs patrol reach clay, Macapse and other places going south.

5. Secrets of our under cover man below are known to the enemy such that the Japs prohibit any business transaction with people from outside the Japs area. This is maybe so because the D-1 disguising as vendors or barterers are known to them already.

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To: CO, 72d Engr Bn

1. Forwarded for information and action.

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Addenda:

In compliment to previous sketch sent theret regarding the selected position for ambush, herewith I'm sending another sketch showing the different places good for ambush as indicated by letters A, B, C, D, and E.

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CC: Mr Ingr Bn