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REPORTS

19-25 MAY 1944

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PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2359

Date: 25 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1979

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 38 from CUSHING.

Precis: In re captured enemy documents from PALAU.

Comment: Threatening message from Cebu enemy Naval Chief sent up yesterday was cause for some concern that some of documents might be recovered by the enemy. I wired for clarification of situation and this message discloses that the last increment of captured documents have left CUSHING and are now enroute to South NEGROS where Navy will pick up by operational sub upon arrival.

Action taken:

CUSHING has been advised Ps O W evacuation is not desired.

Action recommended:

None.

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24 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : CUSHING

NR 38 24 MAY

REFERENCE YOUR NR 17 NOW ON WAY AND EXPECTED TO
ARRIVE 6TH TO 7TH JUNE. PLEASE ADVISE ANSWER OF OUR NUMBER
36 RE TWO PRISONERS.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2358

Date: 25 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1978

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 260 from PERALTA.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in MANILA.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 260 24 MAY

FOLLOWING ARE LARGE ENEMY CONCENTRATIONS IN MANILA AS OBSERVED BY OUR AGENTS: (OBSERVED MARCH 16-19):

NIELSON LF 1000, ZABLAN LF 1500, GRACE PARK LF 300, CAMP MURPHY 800, CAMP CRANE 500, LASPINAS NAVY LF 1600, NICHOLS LF 500, PARANAQUE BEACH APARTMENT 600, HARRISON PARK 1000, ATENEO 2500 PATIENTS, BAYVIEW HOTEL 400, ARMY NAVY CLUB 500, MANILA HOTEL 500, AFESA ABM BLDG 500, NORMAL HALL 500, EUROPEAN STUDENT AND CITY YMCA 2000, ENGR ISLAND 300, NORTH HARBOR 800, BALINTAWAK GARRISON 600, NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT 500, PSYCHOPATHIC HOSPITAL 2000.

25 MARCH: FT MCKINLEY 5000, SANTA MESA 3000, BORDNER HIGH 600, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE BLDG 800, UNION COLLEGE 300, LASALLE 900, FEU 500.

11 APRIL: QUARTER DE ESPANA 880. 14 APRIL 31ST INFANTRY BARRACKS 4000, UNIVERSITY PHIL 1200. 15 APRIL: PORT AREA 1500, MANILA PIERS 1000. SMALLER GARRISONS FOUND IN SEVERAL HOTELS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES, PUBLIC BLDGS, APARTMENTS AND COMMERCIAL FIRMS.

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Date: 25 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1977

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 254 from PERALTA.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in MASBATE.

Comment: See map attached for positions indicated.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 254 22 MAY

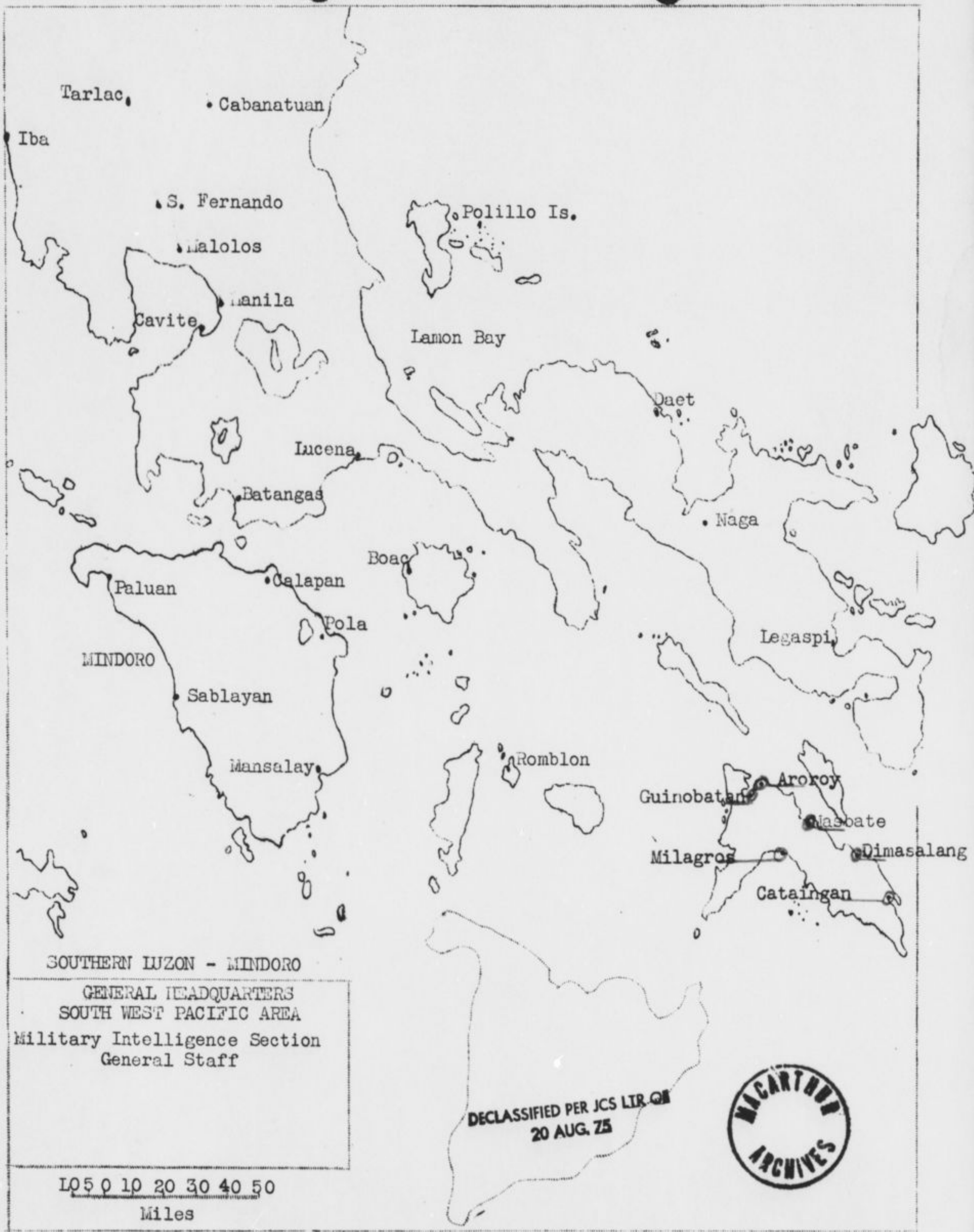
MASBATE ESTIMATE PER AGENT AS OF TEN MAY: 104 NIPS
138 BC DISTRIBUTED TOWNS OF MASBATE, AROROY, GUINOBATAN,
MILAGROS, DIMASALANG AND CATAINGAN. DECREASE DUE DEPARTURES
LEGASPI-WARD AFTER PENETRATION. MASBATE LANDING FIELD
500 BY 2000 METERS GRASSY AROROY LF 200 BY 1000 METERS GRASSY.
BOTH ALL WEATHER. NO PLANE BASED ABOVE LF AND PLANE
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AIB Info.
Report No. 2356

Date: 25 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1976

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 253 from PERALTA

Precis: In re reported capture of SMITH's men in MASBATE.

Comment: Two men mentioned are apparently of Major SMITH's party.
I will wire gist of message immediately to SMITH for his
information and for confirmation.

Action taken:

See comment.

Action recommended:

None.

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25 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 253 22 MAY

MASBATE S-2 REPORTED TWO ALLIED INTELLIGENCE BUREAU OPERATIVES WERE CAPTURED IN NORTHERN MASBATE MIDNIGHT MAY TWO. OTHERS ON MISSION DURING CAPTURE EXPECTED RETURN SOON. MASBATE GUERRILA FORCE EXTENDED AID AND RECOVERED ONE TG AND TWO CARBINES, THREE PISTOLS, ONE TRANSCEIVER WITH THREE BATTERIES, TUBES, CODES, PAMPHLETS AND AMMUNITION. PREVIOUS REPORT STATED THOSE CAPTURED WERE OPERATORS QUERUBIN BARGO AND ANDI AVILLANO UNDER MAJOR SMITH OF SEVENTH DISTRICT. ABCEDE NOTIFIED.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2355

Date: 25 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1975

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 125 from SMITH.

Precis: In re NARWHAL action against enemy vessels.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

Transmitted to Navy.

Action recommended:

None.

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25 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : M A C A (SMITH)

NR 125 24 MAY

VESSEL UNLOADED AND CLEARED 1200 GMT.

FOLLOWING FROM CAPTAIN TO NAVY: " COMPLETED SPOT ONE, ETA SPOT TWO 2400 HOURS 28TH. NARWHAL TO CTF 71. GOT ONE HIT IN EACH OF TWO SHIPS YOUR SERIAL 45 HEAVY RAIN SQUALL RESULTS UNKNOWN DONE 0300 HOURS 21ST AT MIKE KING MIKE. WAY. "

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2354

Date: 25 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1974

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 40 from SUAREZ.

Precis: In re enemy Naval concentration at TAWITAWI.

Comment: I am having a lot of difficulty getting YOUNG's messages decoded. Have even investigated the possibility of getting in a party of radio operators to reinforce him but Navy believes it now too hot to go in.

This message does, however, give further confirmation to the enemy concentration. We will work along patiently with him and get the most out of the situation that we can.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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25 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : SUAREZ

NR 40 25 MAY

TEN MORE WAR VESSELS ARRIVED YESTERDAY MAY 23.
Z-FIVE TO GHQ ADVISE D J F TO BE PATIENT ON US AND
SAY ACKNOWLEDGE MSG TIFSAREWEATE SURROUNDED. TROOPS
SCATTERED, STILL MAINTAINING POSITION. WIRELESS TELE-
GRAPHIC STATION BONGAO WITH TWO ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS AT
BASE. EIGHT HUNDRED JAPS AT BATO BATO, 300 SOWANCBATANG
WITH ONE BIG CALIBER GUN, JAPS PLAN TO CONSTRUCT A ROAD
FROM BALIMBING TO BATO BATO. A WAVE OF 12 PLANES OUT ON
RECONNAISSANCE DAILY, NO FLIGHT MADE FROM 6 TO 6 P. M.

(UNDERLINED LETTERS CAME GARBLED.)

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2353

Date: 25 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1973

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 34 from INGINIERO.

Precis: In re political situation in BOHOL.

Comment: I believe the politicians in BOHOL are sitting on a powder keg and fail to realize it. This message has to do with recent difficulties for which Provincial Auditor DELBANDO of CEBU was held to blame and given radio admonishment by President QUEZON.

Action taken:

None.

Action recommended:

I recommend that message be not dispatched to President QUEZON in view of his condition and recent request.

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24 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : INGINIERO

NR 34 24 MAY

GARCIA TO QUEZON.

BY MUTUAL CERTIFICATIONS AND EXPLANATIONS IN CONFERENCE
CHIEF OFFICES CONCERNED PRESIDED BY ME AND MAJOR INGINIERO
18TH APRIL. DELBANDO MARAPAO CONTROL EFUQ FIXED UP. EVERYONE
BACK TO PROPER FUNCTION AND NORMALCY RESTORED. THERE IS
GENERAL SATISFACTION.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2352

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 25 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1972

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 126 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in MINDANAO.

Comment: See map attached for positions indicated.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG
NR 126 23 MAY

NINTH DIVISION, NO REPORT OF LARGE GAS OR AMMO STORAGE WORK STARTED ON DEL MONTE, MARAMAG, VALENCIA AND LOURDES FIELDS. ON 10 MAY, EIGHTH DIVISION REPORTS ONE SINGLE PLANE USUALLY STATIONED AT DANSALAN, LANAOS.

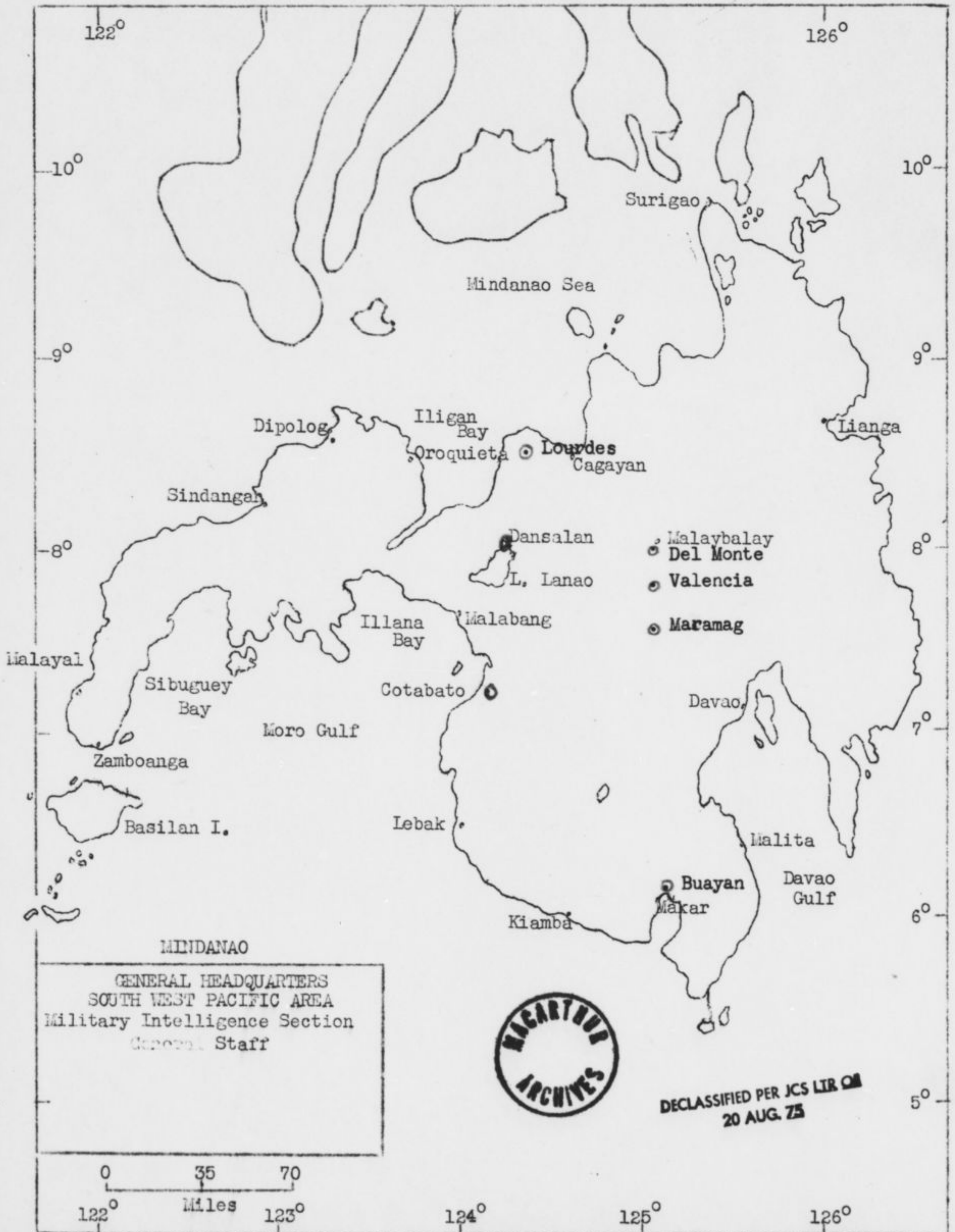
SIXTH DIVISION COTABATO, COTABATO: NEAR KLM THREE FIELD AREA IS ONE BY THREE KLM WITH TUNNELS IN PC HILL. NO PLANES. TWO AA GUNS EMPLACED NEAR HILL. TWO BUILDINGS AT NORTH END OF FIELD AT BASE OF PC HILL ARE FILLED WITH EXPLOSIVES AND ROOFS MARKED WITH RED CROSSES.

BUAYAN, COTABATO FIELD RESTRICTED AREA IS FIVE BY FIVE KLMS. 17 PLANES LANDED THERE 24 MARCH AND STILL THERE IN MID APRIL. MANY ARE BADLY DAMAGED.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2351

Date: 24 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1971

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 127 from FERTIG

Precis: In re enemy air activity.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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24 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 127 23 MAY

AIR: SAN DIONISIO.

TYPE ONE ARMY NAKAJIMA FIGHTER TO SOUTHEAST, TYPE
D-2 TRANSPORT TO NORTHWEST.

19 MAY FIVE UNIDENTIFIED PLANES SOUTH AT DAWN, TYPE
ONE ARMY-NAVY MITSUBISHI AND UNIDENTIFIED PLANE NORTH-
WEST DURING AFTERNOON.

20 MAY: MC-20 MITSUBISHI SOUTHEAST AT 0000 HOURS,
TEN MINUTES AND 25 MINUTES LATER, TYPE ONE ARMY NAKAJIMA
FIGHTER NORTH AT 0600 HOURS.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2350

Date: 24 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1970

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 128 from FERTIG

Precis: In re enemy air activity.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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24 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 128 23 MAY

AIR: SAN DIONISIO.

21 MAY, DURING MORNING TO SOUTHEAST, TYPE O ARMY HEADQUARTERS RECON, ONE UNIDENTIFIED PLANE, TYPE 97 ARMY MITSUBISHI, MC-20 MITSUBISHI, AND FOUR TYPE 97 ARMY NAKAJIMA FIGHTER. NORTHWEST TWO MC-20 MITSUBISHI, DC-2 TRANSPORT, TYPE 97 ARMY MITSUBISHI AND TWO TYPE ONE ARMY NAKAJIMA.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2349

Date: 24 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1969

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 129 from FERTIG

Precis: In re enemy air activity.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

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24 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG
NR 129 23 MAY

AIR: SAN DIONISIO.

22 MAY. LOCKHEED TRANSPORT SOUTHEAST AT 0020, AN-
OTHER ONE HOUR LATER. FIVE MINUTES LATER 16 TYPE O
MEDIUM BOMBERS AND IN TEN MINUTES TYPE TWO NAVY FLYING
BOAT.

PAST MINT THREE TWIN ENGINE BOMBERS WITH TWIN
RUDDERS HEADING NORTH AT HIGH ALTITUDE,

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2343

Date: 23 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1963

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 255 from PERALTA.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions on BATAAN.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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23 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 255 22 MAY

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BATAAN ESTIMATE PER AGENTS MARCH 24: LAMAO, 9000 TO 10,000 NIPS OCCUPYING LAMAO EXPERIMENTAL STATION WITH LARGE NUMBER FIXED TENTS. DATE ARRIVAL AND ORIGIN UNKNOWN, SEEM NOT SEASONED DUE LIGHT COMPLEXION. RUMORED TO BE TRANSIENT. NO DEFENSES CONSTRUCTED EXCEPT AIR RAID SHELTERS. CIVILIANS RESTRICTED GENERAL AREA. LAMAO AIRFIELD ABANDONED. BALANGA 140 NIPS WITH MAJOR NAGAKI COMMANDING BATAAN DETACHMENT. PROPOSED AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION AT SANTANDER. MARIVELES APRIL 15: 18,000 TO 20,000 NIPS. QUARTERED FORMER NAVAL HEADQUARTERS MARINE, BIG BUILDINGS NEAR QUARANTINE STATION AND REST IN FIXED TENTS. DATE ARRIVAL AND ORIGIN UNKNOWN. AIRFIELD UNDER CONSTRUCTION. RUNWAY 30 METERS BY 101?. ALL ROADS AND BRIDGES REPAIRED CABCABEN AIRFIELD ABANDONED.

(THE QUESTIONABLE NUMBER IN THE UNDERLINED GROUP CAME AS A PROBABLE GARBLE FOR "TEN," AND THUS WOULD HAVE BEEN "10110." AS THIS SEEMS IMPROBABLE FOR A FIELD LENGTH, PERHAPS THE WRITER MEANT THE NUMBER "1010.")

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2348

Date: 23 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1968

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 119 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in DAVAO area.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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23 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 119 22 MAY

JOHNSON:

ABOUT 1000 MARINES IN RESTRICTED AREA NORTH OF CITY,
AREA RUMORED TO CONTAIN MINE SWITCHES AND AMMO DEPOSITS.
AMMO, ARMS, AND BOMBS STORED ALONG ROAD ON BEACH SIDE
FROM KLM THREE TO SIX NORTH, WITH AMMO IN TRENCH PITS.
(CONFIRMS EARLIER REPORTS).

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2347

Date: 23 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1967

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 118 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re FERTIG's recommendation for bombing areas.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

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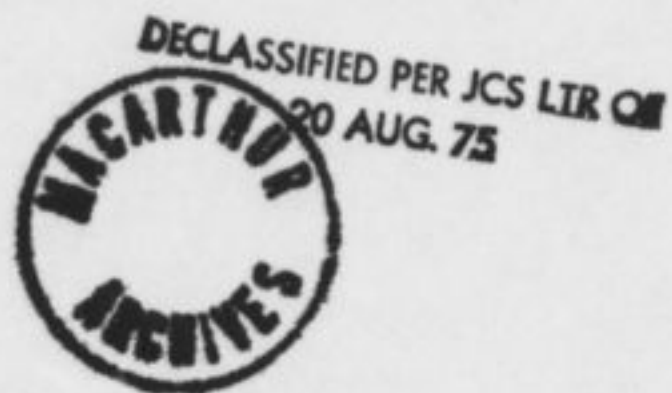
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22 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG

NR 118 21 MAY

THE CONCENTRATION OF PLANES IN LIMITED AREA IN DAVAO PLUS SHIPPING IN DAVAO GULF OFFERS A MOST TEMPTING TARGET FOR A HEAVY RAID. IF BOMBS ARE CONFINED TO NAVY AND ARMY RESERVATIONS AND AIRFIELDS (YOU ALREADY HAVE THEIR LOCATIONS) IT WOULD NOT ENDANGER ANY FILIPINOS BUT WOULD DISRUPT JAP PLANS WHICH ARE NOW BEING PURSUED WITHOUT MOLESTATION.



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ATB Info.
Report No. 2346

Date: 23 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1966

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: *u* G-2

Message No. 251 from PERALTA.

Precis: In re enemy call signs and frequencies.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

None.

Action recommended:

Information should be forwarded to the monitoring agencies.

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22 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 251 21 MAY

FOLLOWING FROM EMPLOYEE TRANSOCEANIC COMMUNICATION
MANILA 19 MARCH:

CALL SIGN

YUME1 CONTACT STATION, OSAKA, DAY FREQ 14,610

NIGHT FREQ 7335, POWER 500 WATTS.

YU31 TOKYO, DAY 15,245, ONE KILOWATT.

YUME35 TOKYO, NIGHT 7545 ONE KILOWATT.

YUSI 1 TAIHOKU, DAY 10,990 500 WATTS.

YUA6 TAIHOKU NIGHT 5755 500 WATTS.

ALL FREQUENCIES IN KILOCYCLES.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2345

Date: 23 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1965

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 112 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy sea route in DAVAO GULF.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 112 21 MAY

JOHNSON REPORTS THAT SHIPS HEADING SOUTH ALONG
COAST SOMETIMES SWING LEFT OF ISLANDS INSTEAD OF THRU
CHANNEL.

WEATHER EXCELLENT AT FARM EXCEPT FEW HIGH CLOUDS
AT FIFTEEN HUNDRED FEET FOLLOWING LIGHT AFTERNOON SHOWERS.
SIDE AREAS COMPLETE FOR USE OF SMALL CRAFT.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2344

Date: 23 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1964

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 252 from PERALTA.

Precis: In re enemy airfield at LAS PINAS, Rizal - NIELSON airport.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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22 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 252 21 MAY

LASPIÑAS RIZAL NAVY LANDING FIELD PER SKETCH OF AGENT AS OF MARCH: RECTANGULAR RUNWAY ONE KM LONG NORTH SOUTH 750 METERS WIDE EAST WEST, PROPOSED ENLARGEMENT TO SOUTH AND EAST TO COMPLETE ARE OF ONE AND ONE HALF KM SQUARE. 40 ORANGE BI-MOTORED PLANES PARKED NORTHWEST CORNER OF RUNWAY, SO FAR NO HANGARS, AA OR SEARCHLIGHT INSTALLATIONS. 1500 JAP MARINES AND 1000 AMERICAN PRISONER LABORERS QUARTERED AT VICINITY FIELD. FROM SKETCH OF NIELSON LANDING FIELD DIMENSIONS AS FOLLOWS: 1200 BY 80 METERS RUNWAY WITH TWENTY CENTIMETER ADOBE AND TWENTY CENTIMETER CONCRETE BASE TO STAND TWENTY TON IMPACT. AVERAGE 300 PLANES DAILY.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2342

Date: 23 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1962

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 113 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy airfield at MALABANG, Lanao.

Comment: See map attached for position.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG
NR 113 21 MAY

BOWLER: MALABANG, LANAOS. (C-2)

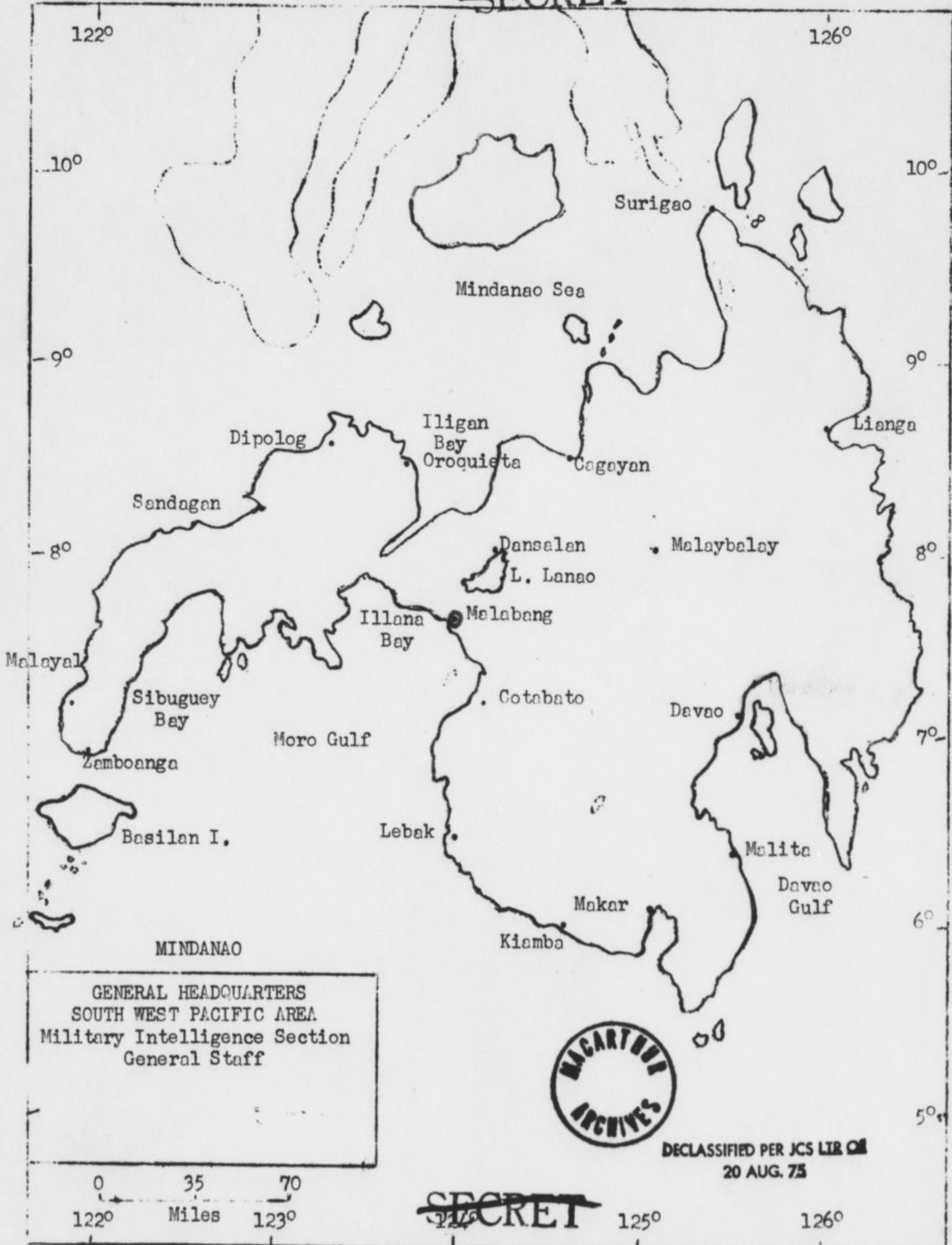
VERY MUCH ENLARGED, MOST OF COCONUTS BETWEEN FORMER
FIELD AND SCHROEDERS HOUSE CUT DOWN (THIS EXTENSION ROUGHLY
PARALLEL TO COAST LINE). 17 NIPS BUILDINGS AT NORTHWEST END.
USED ONLY FOR TRANSIT.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2340

Date: 22 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1960

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 102 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in ZAMBOANGA area.

Comment: See map attached for positions indicated.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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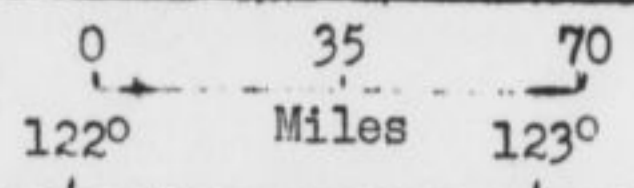


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20 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 102 19 MAY

DON LE COUVRE, (B-2):

50 TRUCKLOADS OF GUNS AND AMMO TAKEN TO GALVANIZED
IRON ROOFED HOUSE BELONGING TO ENGLISHMAN IN PASANANCA.
JAPS HAVE MOVED ADDITIONAL TROOPS TO SAN ROQUE, B ALETE,
TUGBUNGAN, TETAUN, TUMAGA, BALIWASAN, BALARIAN, RECODO AND
SAN RAMON. THEY ARE PREPARING TO OPEN CURUAN ROAD.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2339

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 21 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1959

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 37 from SUAREZ.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in the SULU group.

Comment: This message from Colonel SUAREZ still has a number of garbles that we are trying to get straightened out without much success. At the first opportunity that presents itself I think we should reinforce his position with competent personnel and equipment. Navy takes a poor view of that project at present - but we will be able to do it if a party has to be dispatched from the 10th M.D.

See map attached for positions indicated as far as possible.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : SUAREZ

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NR 37 12 MAY

REPORTS ON ENEMY DISPOSITIONS TIJITJI ISLAND: STRENGTH-20 MEN; ACTIVITY-FISHING; EQUIPMENT-RADIO SET. TAATA ISLAND: STRENGTH-20 MEN; EQUIPMENT-RADIO SET; ACTIVITY-JAPS HAVE MINE. BALIMBING: STRENGTH-A PLATOON; SHELTER-SCHOOL BUILDING; ACTIVITY-GUARDING CASS AIRFIELD; COMMUNICATION-RADIO CTISOWAECBATANG: STRENGTH-A PLATOON; ACTIVITY-GUARDING CASS AIRFIELD HQTR. ROAN ISLAND: COMMUNICATION-RADIO AND LAUNCH. BATOBATO: STRENGTH-A COMPANY; ACTIVITIES-GARRISON DUTY AND PATROLLING; COMMUNICATION-RADIO AND LAUNCH; SHELTER-TENTS. BONGAO DISPOSITION REPORTED. PEKIAS: STRENGTH-A SQUAD; ACTIVITY-ROAD CONSTRUCTION. PAGOSINAN: STRENGTH-FIVE MEN; ACTIVITY-ROAD AND AIRPLANE LANDING WORK. DOHESELLANG: STRENGTH-A PLATOON; ACTIVITY-MANAGE COOLIES AND LABORERS WORKING ON THE AIR FIELD.

ENEMY MINED AREAS BUBUAN ISLAND TO CALUPAG ISLAND. SIMUNUL SEA LANE LIKE CHAIN CONNECTS ONE ANOTHER EXTEND FROM SANGASIAPU ON TO EAST COAST BONGAO. EXTENDED OUTPOSTS MARANING TO MARANG-MARANG TWO SEA PLANES RAIDS DAILY.

CHESTER'S FIELD RATIONS CONSUMED ALREADY BY LT. COL. SUAREZ OUTFIT. HAS TO HUNT FOR FOOD TO LIVE DAILY. BREAK LAST MSG. USING KEYS EIGHT AND FOUR SPECIAL.

NOTE: THIS MESSAGE DELIVERED PENDING SERVICE ON UNDERLINED WORDS.

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ATB Info.
Report No. 2338

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1958

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 248 from PERALTA

Precis: In re anti-aircraft drills in ILOILO City.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 248 20 MAY

PANAY TIMES PUBLISHED APRIL 12: "IWAMI UNIT IS GOING TO HAVE FIRING PRACTICE OF AA GUNS AT TRADE, JALANDONI AND MONTES SCHOOLS 13 APRIL FROM 9 A.M. TO 11 A.M."

ABOVE SCHOOLS ARE IN ILOILO CITY.

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Mil. Int. Section, Gen. Staff

22 May 1944

TO:

Commander-in-Chief _____	Approval _____
Chief of Staff _____ x	Concurrence _____
Dep. Chief of Staff _____	Information _____
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G-2 _____	Issue Orders _____
G-3 _____	Nec Action _____
G-4 _____	Signature _____
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C.O.I.C. _____	_____
U.S.A.F.F.E. _____	_____



Re Cushing 36:

1. Request following message be dispatched to Cushing:

"Reurad 36, 19 May, desire following information from Jap prisoners: first and last names, ranks, organizations and locations of known Japanese commissioned officers in PI. Also names, code names, code numbers and locations of known Japanese units."

2. Do not desire evacuation of POW's.

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rr. 18 to Cushing

With W.

See #18 to Cushing

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2337

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1957

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 36 from CUSHING

Precis: In re info from enemy prisoners in CEBU.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : CUSHING

NR 36 19 MAY

TWO MORE JAPANESE PRISONERS (SERGEANTS) WHO ESCAPED
DUE MALTREATMENT AND CAPTURED BY US. BOTH ARE BROTHERS
FROM TOKYO. ACCORDING THEIR IETO (INFO ?) GENERAL MIDAWA
SIOSHO HEAD OF JAPANESE AIR UNITS IN THE PHILIPPINES,
GENERAL TOZOIKA HEAD GROUND FORCES PHILIPPINES. IF YOU WANT
THEM PLEASE ADVISE PLACE NEXT MAIL TRUCK OR FURTHER DISPOSI-
TION. MORE INFO FROM THEM WILL FOLLOW.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2336

Date: 21 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1956

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 35 from CUSHING

Precis: In re enemy airfield in CEBU.

Comment: See map for position.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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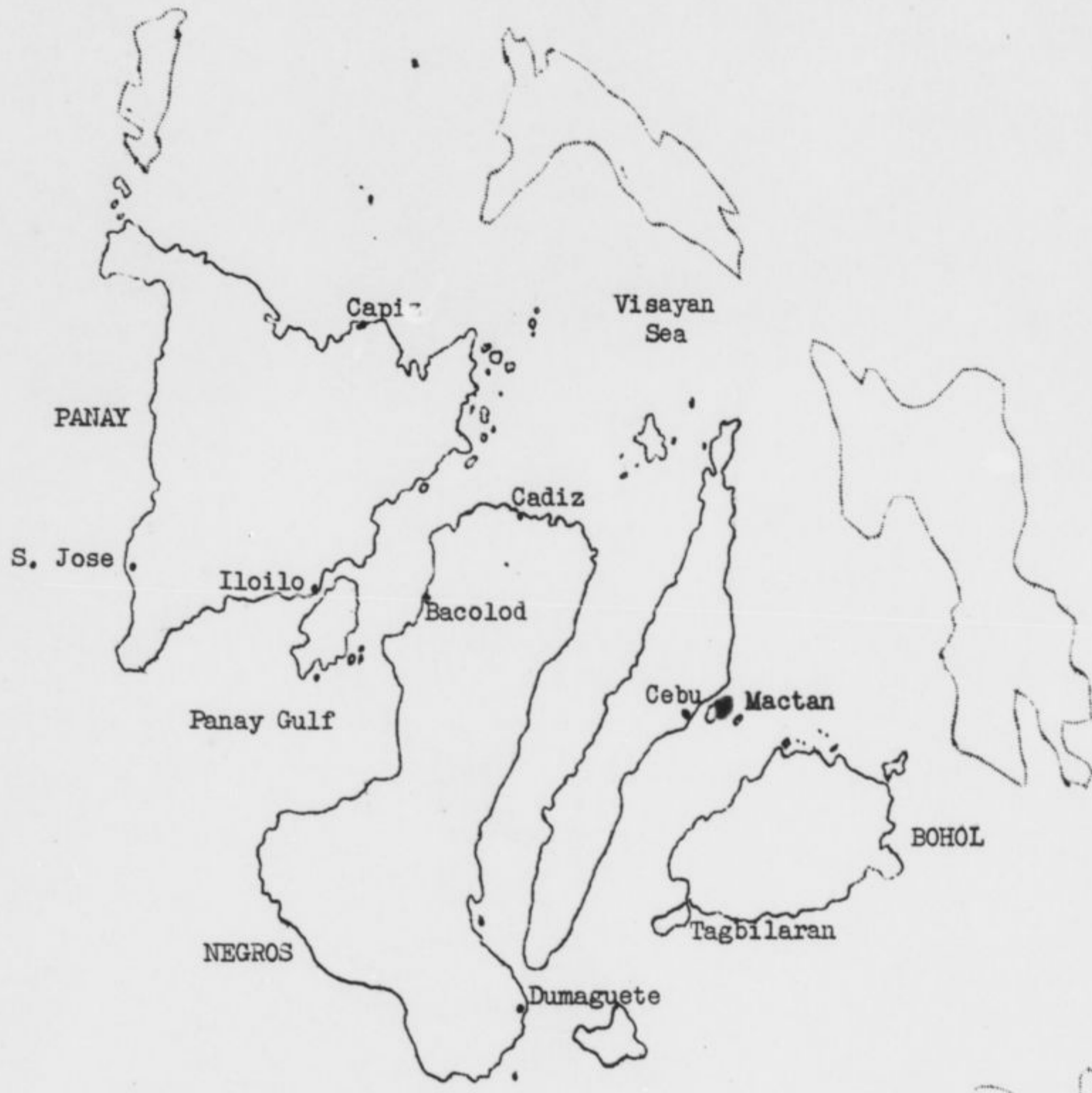
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20 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : CUSHING

NR 35 19 MAY

REFERENCE YOUR NR 15:

NEW MACTAN AIRFIELD SPLITS ROAD TO MARIBAGO TWO
KILOMETERS EAST OF MACTAN-MARIBAGO ROAD JUNCTION. EXACT
FIGURES FOLLOWING. FIELD NEAR COMPLETION.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2335

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1955

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 269 from ANDREWS

Precis: In re message of Governor MONTELIBANO to President QUEZON.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

None.

Action recommended:

That message be not dispatched in view of President QUEZON's recent request that such matters be not referred to him. No action.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : ANDREWS

NR 269 20 MAY

GOVERNOR MONTELIBANO REQUESTS FOLLOWING BE TRANSMITTED TO PRESIDENT QUEZON: "AM RELIEVING ALFREDO BENEDICTO AS PROVINCIAL AUDITOR IN VIEW CRIMINAL CHARGES FILED AGAINST HIM BY PROVINCIAL FISCAL FOR FALSIFICATION PUBLIC DOCUMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH ILLEGAL CIRCULATION SOME EMERGENCY CURRENCY NOTES FROM GOVERNMENT PRESS OF WHICH HE USED TO BE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT. AMOUNT INVOLVED NEGLIGIBLE BUT THERE IS BREACH OF TRUST. AM APPOINTING FOR SAME POST, AND AS MEMBER NEGROS EMERGENCY CURRENCY BOARD, NICASIO VILLARIN (EX PHILIPPINE NATIONAL BANK AUDITOR, CEBU BRANCH). PLEASE CONFIRM APPOINTMENT."

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Report No. 2334

Date: 21 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1954

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 130 from ABCEDE

Precis: In re ABCEDE's request for enemy currency.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

I will recommend amounts for shipment at appropriate time.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : ABCEDE
NR 130 20 MAY

REQUEST SHIPMENT HERE OF SOME MORE JAPANESE CURRENCY FOR USE OF ANDREWS AND DISTRICT INTELLIGENCE.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2333

Date: 21 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1953

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: ^WG-2

Message No. 108 from FERTIG

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in DAVAO.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 108 20 MAY

JOHNSON, (B-2):

15 MAY, ONE COASTAL GUN IN FRONT OF OHTA DEVELOPMENT BUILDINGS. TWO EMPLACEMENTS ONE AND A HALF KLMS ON BEACH SOUTH OF MOUTH DAVAO RIVER. BRIDGE NOW BEING BUILT ON SITE OF FORMER GENEROSO BRIDGE. CIVILIANS NOT ALLOWED TO LEAVE CITY OR BE NEAR AIRFIELDS AFTER 6 P.M.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2332

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1952

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 111 from FERTIG

Precis: In re enemy sea routes along coast of MINDANAO.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 111 20 MAY

MC CARTHY OF MALANGAS:

ENEMY TRANSPORTS FROM ZAMBOANGA PROVINCE TO COTABATO PROVINCE OR DAVAO PROVINCE WITH PLANE ESCORT DO NOT FOLLOW NORMAL SHIPPING LANES. TRAVELING ONLY AT NIGHT SKIRTING COAST LINE, HIDING BY DAY IN SIBUGUEY OR DUMANQUILLAS BAY WHILE SEAPLANES AND DESTROYERS COMB SEA.

TWO SMALL INTERISLAND SHIPS MAKE FREQUENT TRIPS FROM SURIGAO PROVINCE TO NASIPIT AND GINGOOG.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2331

Date: 21 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1951

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 109 from FERTIG

Precis: In re enemy strengths in DAVAO Province.

Comment: See map attached for positions indicated.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy, advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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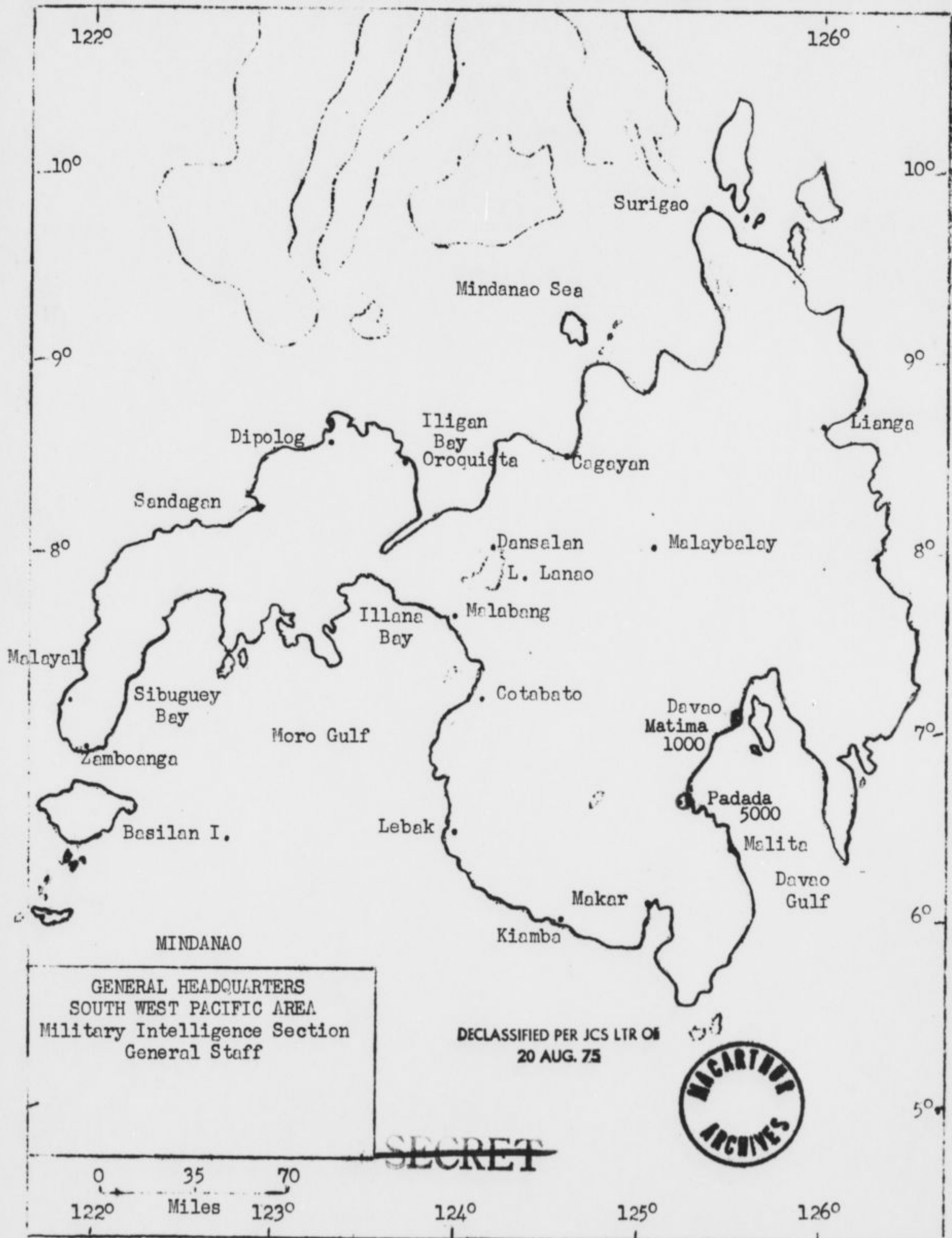
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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 109 20 MAY

JOHNSON, (B-2):

15 MAY, TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND JAP TROOPS IN DAVAO PROVINCE.

5000 MARINES INCLUDING PILOTS AND MECHANICS NOW STATIONED AT PADADA NAVAL AREA.

1000 MARINES AT MATINA SINCE ONE MAY.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2330

Date: 21 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1950

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: ^WG-2

Message No. 107 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy action on AGUSAN - enemy planes in DAVAO area.

Comment: Our message in reference queried concerning identity of LLANEZA.

See map attached for positions indicated in JOHNSON's report.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 107 20 MAY

FIFTY FILIPINO CIVILIANS BUTCHERED AND LEFT
ALONGSIDE ROAD WHEN CARMEN, AGUSAN BURNED ON 12 MAY.

REFERENCE YOUR 381 19TH MAY, HE IS AGENT OFFICER FOR
RAMSAY OF MANILA.

JOHNSON, (B-2):

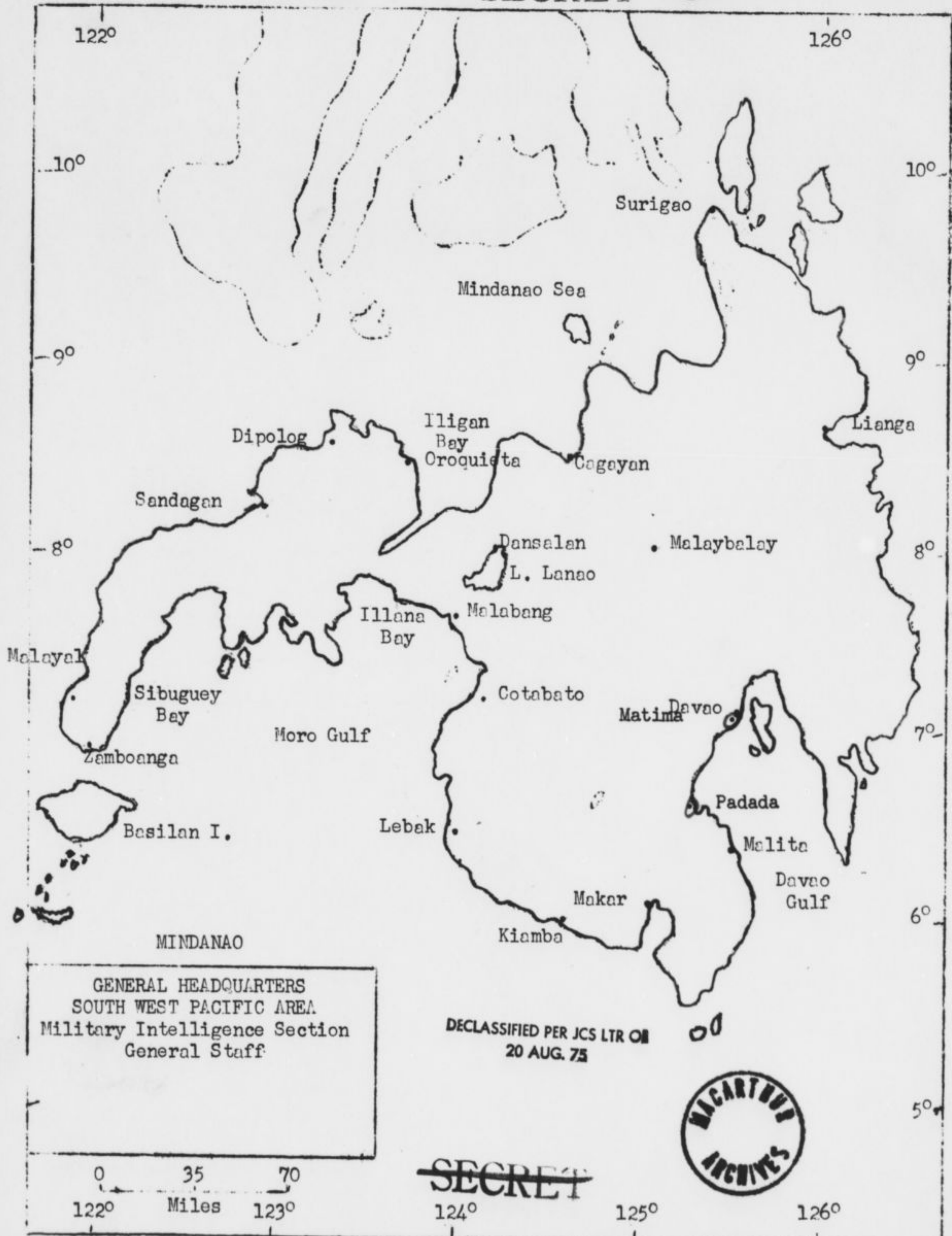
TEN MAY. 130 PLANES AT PADADA, MAINLY FIGHTERS
AND MEDIUM BOMBERS. 180 AT MATINA ON SIX MAY.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2329

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1949

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 103 from FERTIG

Precis: In re conditions in S.W. MINDANAO.

Comment: We are sending in equipment and supplies to strengthen Western MINDANAO that has suffered from efforts to build up FERTIG's main position on the AGUSAN.

Action taken:

See Comment.

Action recommended:

None.

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20 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 103 19 MAY

TRANSPORTS FROM COTABATO, COTABATO TO PEIDU-PULANGI BY RIVER AS ROAD FROM COTABATO, COTABATO TO PIKIT-PAGALUNGAN IS CLOSED. OPEN FROM DULAWAN VIA KABACAN TO DAVAO PROVINCE AND SAYRE. WATER TRANSPORT ONLY TO MALABANG, LANA O AND PARANG, COTABATO.

BOWLER REPORTS CONDITIONS IN COTABATO PROVINCE SO BAD FROM OUR POINT OF VIEW THAT BC CAN CONTROL WITH LITTLE NEED FOR STRONG NIP GARRISONS. HE BELIEVES WE ARE GAINING STRENGTH.



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Report No. 2328

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1948

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 122 from SMITH

Precis: In re SMITH plans for distribution of cargo now enroute.

Comment: Dispositions show commendable energy and initiative - decisive action that will secure results in our drive to open the channels for communication and intelligence through LUZON.

Weather station is destined for Eastern LUZON. SMITH advised.

Action taken:

See Comment.

Action recommended:

None.

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20 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : M A C A (SMITH)

NR 122 19 MAY

MOST OF INCOMING CARGO WILL LEAVE FOR LUZON ON SAME NIGHT AS RECEIVED HERE.

REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS ON LOCATION OF WEATHER STATION WHICH YOU WANT FARTHER SOUTH.

CARGO WILL BE LANDED BY SAILBOAT AT THREE POINTS IN LUZON AS FOLLOWS: STAHL AND PARTY TO BOND[✓]OC, ONE PARTY WITH SUPPLIES FOR ANDERSON AND LAPHAM[✓] TO EAST COAST OF TAYABAS, ONE PARTY WITH SUPPLIES FOR ESCUDERO TO SORSO[✓]GON.



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AIB Info.
Report No. 2327

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1947

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: ^WG-2

Message No. 106 from FERTIG

Precis: In re enemy air activity over PANAY.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy, advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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20 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 106 19 MAY

CONSOLIDATED AIR REPORT FROM 6TH MILITARY DISTRICT 04 TO 17
MAY INCLUSIVE:

AVERAGE FIVE PLANES PER DAY OVER SAN DIONISIO. ONLY
LARGE FLIGHTS LISTED SEPARATELY. NINE MAY, FOUR TYPE 96
ARMY AND NAVY MITSUBISHI MEDIUM BOMBERS TO SOUTH. 12 MAY,
14 TYPE 97 MARK 1 AND 2 ARMY MITSUBISHI MEDIUM BOMBERS AND THREE
TYPE D-2 TRANSPORTS TO SOUTH, EIGHT TYPE B-2 TRANSPORTS TO
NORTH. 16 MAY 15 TYPE O MARK 2 ARMY AND NAVY MITSUBISHI
FIGHTERS TO SOUTH. TOTAL PLANES ALL TYPES: TO SOUTHEAST 62,
TO NORTHWEST 39

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Report No. 2326

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 21 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1946

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 123 from SMITH

Precis: In re information from Central LUZON.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

I am advising USAFFE that LAPHAM and MCKENZIE are reported
alive and free.

Action recommended:

None.

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Transmit portion
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JCS USAFFE

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20 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : M A C A (SMITH)

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NR 123 19 MAY

LAPHAM

LAPHAM AND MCKENZIE HAVE ARRIVED AT BALL'S CAMP. THEIR IDENTIFICATION AS FOLLOWS: FIRST LT ROBT B LAPHAM, A SN O-379114, FORMERLY WITH THORPE, SINCE NOV 43 UNDER ANDERSON COMMAND AS CO OF SECOND MD, USING RANK OF MAJOR FOR ORGANIZATIONAL PURPOSES; MCKENZIE, CIVILIAN CONNECTED WITH MINES IN BAGIO PRIOR TO WAR, COMMISSIONED SECOND LT BY ANDERSON IN AUGUST 42, PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN LGAF BY LAPHAM. BOTH WOULD LIKE CLARIFICATION OF RANK. LAPHAM HAS BEEN SENDING ALL INFORMATION TO ANDERSON BUT RECENTLY LOST CONTACT AND DOES NOT KNOW HIS WHEREABOUTS. HAS SENT TO HIS HQ FOR LATEST REPORTS WHICH WILL BE FORWARDED IN ONE WEEK. >FOLLOWING FROM MEMORY: DURING APRIL HEAVY TROOP AND SUPPLY MOVEMENT TO NORTH WITH 30 TO 100 TRUCKS PER DAY PASSING BY WAY OF CAGAYAN ROAD. MANY DRUMS OF GASOLINE MOVED, ON RETURN TRIP TRUCKS BROUGHT RICE FROM CAGAYAN VALLEY. MOST PRONOUNCED ACTIVITY WAS AFTER ARRIVAL OF TRANSPORTS IN MANILA. THESE TROOPS MOSTLY NEW ARRIVALS AND REHABILITATION CASES. GENERAL BABA IS CO OF CENTRAL LUZON WITH HQ AT TARLAC, TARLAC.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2325

Date: 21 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1945

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 249 from PERALTA

Precis: In re enemy activity in ILOILO City.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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21 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 249 20 MAY

10 MAY AGENTS OBSERVED EIGHT NIPS MANNING SOUND DETECTOR NORMAL SCHOOL GROUND ILOILO CITY. NO PERMANENT PLANES MANDURIAO LANDING FIELD. NO PLANE STAYS MORE THAN TWO DAYS. PART OF JOURNAL ON MANDURIAO LANDING FIELD: 9:00 AM 10 MAY THREE TYPE 97, ARMY, MITSUBISHI LIGHT BOMBERS LANDED, THREE TYPE 99 ARMY MEDIUM BOMBERS LANDED 11:00 AM REFUELED TOOK OFF 3:00 PM SAME DATE. 9:45 AM 11 MAY, TWO TYPE 97, ARMY, MITSUBISHI LIGHT BOMBERS TOOK OFF AND RETURNED 4:00 PM SAME DATE. 11 AM 12 MAY, ONE DOUGLAS TRANSPORT PLANE CONVOYED BY THREE SINGLE-ENGINE PLANES LANDED, 1:00 PM THREE TYPE 97, ARMY, MITSUBISHI LIGHT BOMBERS TOOK OFF BOUND NORTH NORTH WEST. 14 MAY ONE DOUGLAS TRANSPORT CONVOYED BY TWO SINGLE-ENGINE PLANES TOOK OFF NORTH NORTH WEST BOUND.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2324

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 19 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1944

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 129 from ABCEDE

Precis: In re evacuation of Americans from the Philippines.

Comment: This is a list of the persons recently evacuated from the Island of NEGROS. Lieut. QUINTO is a Filipino officer who went in with one of the early AIB parties, being evacuated for hospital treatment.

Action taken:

G-2 advised. Para. 2, Directive of April 18, 1944 complied with.

Action recommended:

None.

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19 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : ABCEDE

NR 129 17 MAY

FOLLOWING ARE NAMES FORTY EVACUEES ABOARD PICKUP
VESSEL ELEVENTH MAY:

LIEUT QUINTO
MAJOR EDWARD MC CLENAHAN
RUSSEL SNELL
JAMES DYER
BOB YOUNG
HOWARD CHRISCO
FRANK LANE
RUSSEL FORSYTHE
GEORGE ANDREWS
MRS LINDHOLM WITH CHILDREN BEVERLY, DEAN, JAMES AND JEANETTE
MRS VIOLA WINN WITH CHILDREN ROGER, NORMAN AND ELEANOR
GEORGE FLEISCHER WITH WIFE AND CHILDREN DAVIS, JEAN, JOAN
AND BILL
MISS MODESTA HUGHES
MRS GEORGE OSSORIO WITH SON KENNETH
LIEUT SAMUEL WILLIAM REAL WITH WIFE AND CHILDREN WILLIAM,
JOHN, BERMA, HERMANA AND NANCY
MRS VIOLA KNOX MACASA WITH CHILDREN VIRGINIA AND RICARDO
MRS ADA GABSON JABONETE WITH CHILDREN BETTY AND ERNESTO

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2323

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 19 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1943

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 243 from PERALTA

244
Precis: In re situation in MINDORO.

Comment: PERALTA's messages 243 and 244 attached should be read together. The unfriendly attitude of the people toward PERALTA is probably the reason his radio was moved to a neighboring Island - certainly there is far better chance for concealment on MINDORO provided the people are friendly.

In all of our messages to PHILLIPS in point the idea of encouragement for the guerilla movement on MINDORO was disapproved, as was the proposal for recognition of any outstanding leader to command that area.

This development should be considered in connection with the entire question of MINDORO-Central LUZON development.

Action taken:

None.

Action recommended:

I add no recommendation to those now pending your consideration.

G-2: See my proposed Intell. Plan, now filed with you. *Lawley*

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 243 18 MAY

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REQUIRE YOUR DECISION REFERENCE MINDORO. AFTER
PHILLIPS ARRIVED, WE TURNED OVER TO HIM WHATEVER WE HAD
IN THAT ISLAND AND PAID NO FURTHER ATTENTION TO IT.
IT SEEMS THAT PHILLIPS AFTER SOME TIME RECOMMENDED TO YOU
RECOGNITION OF MINDORO AS A SEPARATE ENTITY. MINDORO
OFFICERS WERE TOLD OF SUCH AND THAT YOU ENCOURAGED SUCH
PLANS. ALL WOULD HAVE BEEN ALL RIGHT IF PHILLIPS LIVED.
HIS DEATH HOWEVER LEFT THAT ISLAND WITHOUT REAL LEADER.
MINDORO OFFICERS GOT IDEA THAT THEY WERE STRONG ENOUGH TO
STAND ON THEIR OWN FEET. UNDER SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES, WE HAVE
NO WISH TO STICK OUR NECKS OUT IN MINDORO FURTHER UNLESS WE
ARE EXPRESSLY TOLD TO DO SO.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 244 18 MAY

STATION IN MINDORO MOVED TO NEIGHBORING ISLAND FOR
SECURITY. REPORTED 200 NIPS ARRIVED CALAPAN ON 11TH.
MINDORO APPARENTLY HOT STILL.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2322

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1942

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 33 from INGINIERO.

Precis: In re enemy interest in BOHOL.

Comment: Message in response to our query as to whether BOHOL could take a direct supply shipment.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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17 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : INGINIERO

NR 33 17 MAY

SITE MENTIONED IN OUR NUMBER 21 NOT YET CLEAR.
NIPS PATROL LAUNCHES AND PLANES BUSY PATROLLING OUR
WATERS DAILY AND SOMETIMES RAIDING SMALL ISLANDS AROUND
THE MAINLAND. WILL INFORM YOU AS SOON AS SITUATION
CLEAR.

LOST CONTACT WITH KANGLEON SINCE RE-INVASION OF LEYTE.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2321

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1941

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 89 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy defenses of ZAMBOANGA area.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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17 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG

NR 89 17 MAY

ZAMBOANGA CITY, ZAMBOANGA BY DON LE COUVRE, MAY 15.
(B-2), EXCEPT AS NOTED "REPORTED."

CITY IS IMPORTANT SHIP WATER STATION WITH MAINS ON WHARF. TWO AA MACHINE GUNS AND TWO AA CANNON ON WHARF. PETTIT BARRACKS: FOUR LARGE, SIX-INCH POSSIBLE, GUNS FACING SEA FROM COCONUT EMPLACEMENTS AND COVERED WITH COCONUT LEAVES. OTHER STILL LARGER GUNS REPORTED UNDER NEARBY HOUSES. GASOLINE, RADIO AND TROOP AREA IN PETTIT.

COASTAL MACHINE GUN EMPLACEMENTS REPORTED ALONG COAST FROM TUGMUNGAN TO TAFONTALON. GAS STORED UNDER TREES AT ENTRANCE FORT DEL PILAR AND IN FORMER HOUSE MAJOR ROPER. AMMUNITION DUMP IN VICINITY PASONANCA SWIMMING POOL.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2320

Date: 19 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1910

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 121 from SMITH.

Precis: In re reported landing of Jap civilians in Southern SAMAR.

Comment: Enemy may be playing for an ultimate economic victory through civil infiltration, against a military defeat.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : SMITH

NR 121 17 MAY

FROM SOUTHERN SAMAR, HAVE RECEIVED THREE SEPARATE
REPORTS OF LANDING OF ONE THOUSAND JAPANESE CIVILIANS
(WOMEN, CHILDREN AND OLD MEN) ON APRIL 30 AT GUIAN.
REPORTED TO BE FROM DAVAO. CANNOT UNDERSTAND THIS INFO
AS ACUTE FOOD SHORTAGE EXISTS IN THAT AREA.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2319

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1939

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 92 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy planes in ZAMBOANGA.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG

NR 92 17 MAY

THREE OF FOUR PLANES IN ZAMBOANGA CITY, ZAMBOANGA ARE DAMAGED AND ONLY ONE SEAPLANE FLYING. TWO SCOUT BOMBERS AT CALARIAN FIELD AND TWO SEAPLANES ALTERNATELY AT RECODO AND PORT HOLLAND. ALL SINGLE ENGINED.

INFO FROM DON LE COUVRE ON TEN MAY (B-2).



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AIB Info.
Report No. 2318

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1938

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 95 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re general information.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

I have queried as to identity of LLANEZA.

Action recommended:

None.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 95 17 MAY

LLANEZA OF MANILA REPORTS FROM BOHOL:

JAP MILITARY CURRENCY GIVEN US HAS SUCH YELLOW
EDGES THAT NIPS ARE SUSPICIOUS.

NEW ONE HUNDRED PESO JAP MILITARY CURRENCY ISSUED
AT 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT.

NIP OFFICERS ARE ADVISING CEBU BUSINESS INTIMATES
TO CANCEL TRAVEL IN MINDANAO SEA.

SIX HEAVIES TO DAVAO PASSED FAR EAST OF WALOE, AGUSAN
AT 0400 HOURS 16 MAY.

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Report No. 2317

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1937

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 93 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re shipping route from ZAMBOANGA - launch patrol.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2317

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1937

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 93 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re shipping route from ZAMBOANGA - launch patrol.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 93 17 MAY

DON LE COUVRE MAY 15.

SHIPPING LEAVING CITY FOR SOUTH KEEP CLOSE TO SHORE
UNTIL REACHING TICTUAN ISLAND EVEN WHEN GOING TO ISABELA,
BASILAN. EVIDENTLY MINE FIELD EXTENDS FROM EAST TIP OF
SANTA CRUZ TO A POINT CLOSE OFF TICTUAN ISLANDS.

17 LAUNCHES, TWO OF SUBCHASER TYPE, PLY COASTLINE
AND LAMITAN ISABELA.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2316

Date: 19 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1936

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: *W* G-2

Message No. 90 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re courier from Colonel SUAREZ - miscellaneous.

Comment: I have instructed FERTIG to give courier radio unit and such other supplies as he can handle and have wired SUAREZ to such affect.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 90 17 MAY

COURIER FROM SUAREZ ARRIVED IN MISAMIS OCCIDENTAL.
REPORTS HIS RADIO OUT OF ORDER BUT HAS GOOD CONTACT WITH
BRITISHER IN BORNEO.

ON TEN MAY SIX LIGHT AND MEDIUM BOMBERS WERE AT
MALABANG, LANAOS.

15 MAY, 650 JAP INFANTRY, 200 MARINES AND 300 BC
IN ZAMBOANGA CITY, ZAMBOANGA.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2315

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1935

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 94 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy action in area of the 10TH M.D.

Comment: See map attached for the positions indicated.

Note the desertion of the constabularyman. I should not like to see too many premature desertions. It would serve to make the Japs wary of all constabulary loyalty. They can serve best if still in the ranks under arms at the crucial time when instructions can be quietly given them.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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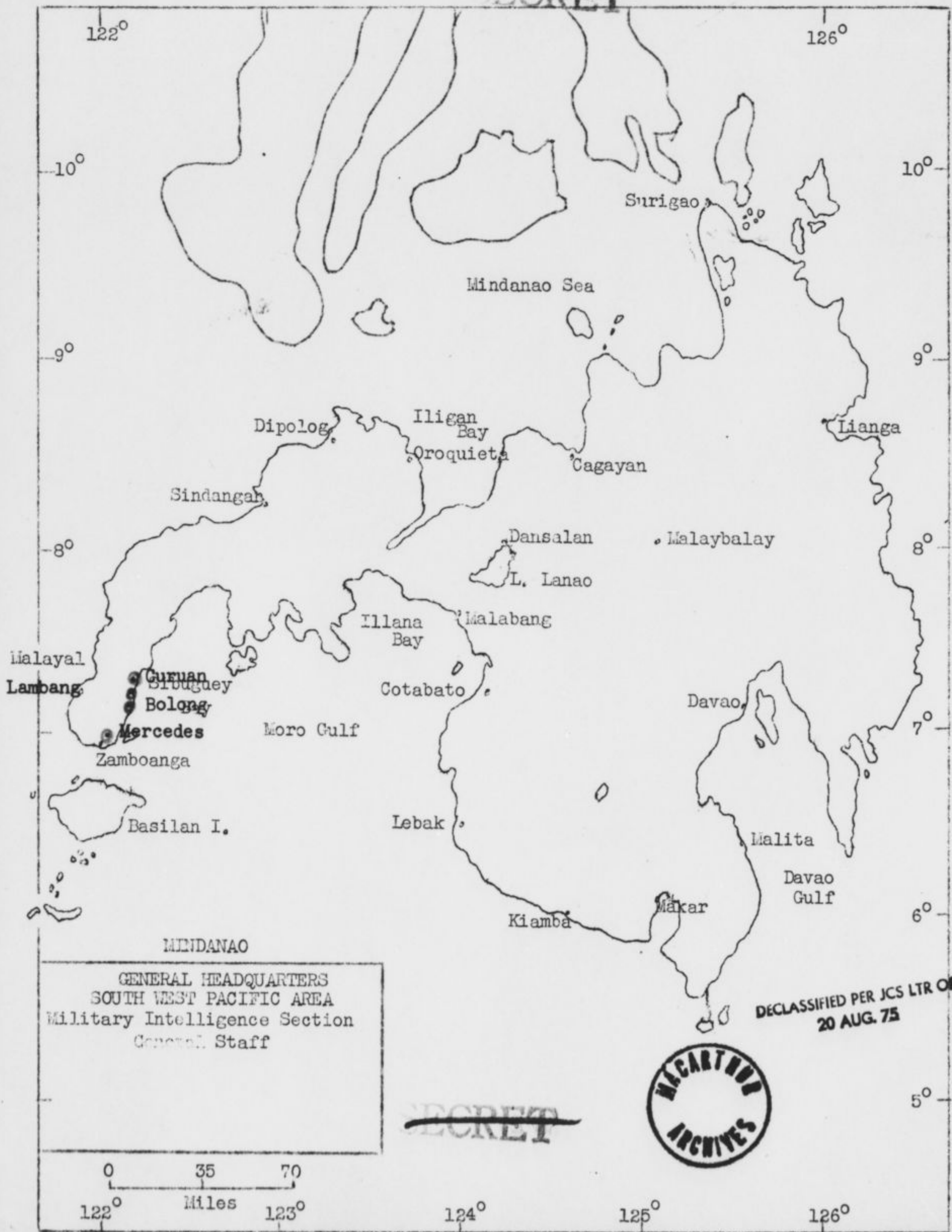
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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG

NR 94 17 MAY

200 NIPS LANDED AT LAMBANG BETWEEN CURUAN AND BOLON ON SIX MAY. WENT TO BN CAMP NEAR LOURDES WHERE THEY SPLIT INTO TWO GROUPS. ONE DRIVEN BACK TO SEA. NIPS KILLING CIVILIANS INDISCRIMINATELY.

ON TEN MAY NIPS CLEARED ROAD TO MERCEDES (KM 12). ONE BC DESERTED WITH ARMS SAYS OTHERS WILL FOLLOW.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2314

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1934

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: ¹¹¹ G-2

Message No. 100 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy route in gulf of DAVAO - miscellaneous.

Comment: Information on DAVAO GULF route reversed info of the other day which showed the TALIKUD Straight being used.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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19 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 100 18 MAY

HOLDER: (A-1):

INCOMING SHIPS PASS COMPLETELY AROUND SAMAL, DAVAO. THEY
DO NOT GO THROUGH TALIKUD STRAIT,

ON 12 MAY 100 JAPS LANDED AND GARRISONED LORETO, SURIGAO.

WILSON: (B-2):

LT COLONEL COMMANDS AT MATI, DAVAO. JAPS ON EAST
COAST DAVAO ARE FROM PALAU.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2313

PHILIPPINE REGIONAL SECTION

Date: 19 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1933

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 101 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy reinforcement and action in LEYTE.

Comment: We are endeavoring to get in a direct supply shipment to KANGLEON - have an inquiry now pending in re the feasibility of an east coast contact.

See map attached for positions indicated in attached message.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

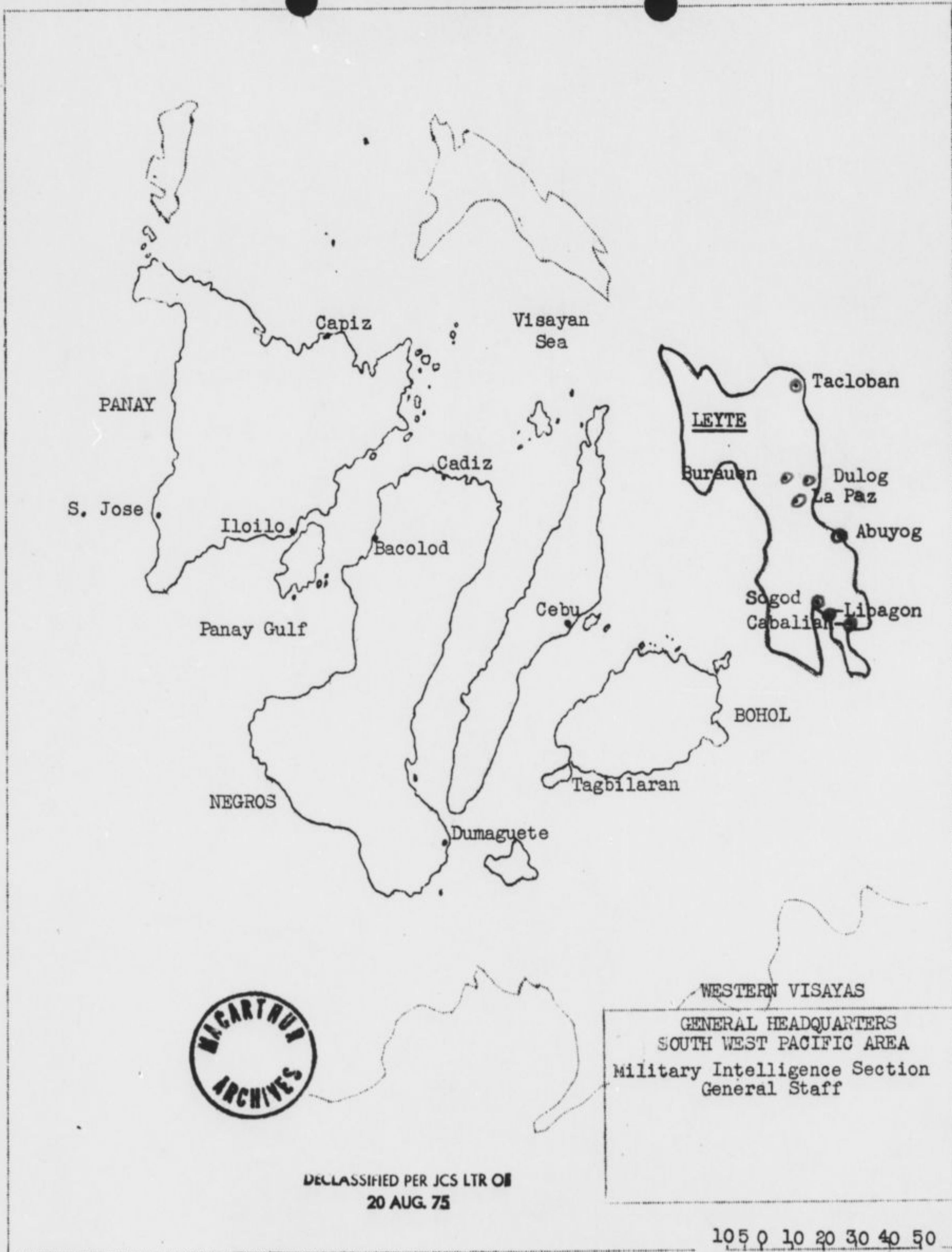
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA
Military Intelligence Section
General Staff

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19 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 101 18 MAY

DELAYED FROM KANGLEON, 04 MAY:

THREE TRANSPORTS UNLOADED UNKNOWN NUMBER OF TROOPS IN TACLOBAN. IN SOUTH LEYTE GARRISON STRENGTHENED INCLUDING BURAUEN, DULAG, LA PAS AND ABUYOG. INTENSE FIGHTING IN SOGOD, LIBAGON AND CABALIAN SECTORS.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2312

Date: 19 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1932

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 97 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in ZAMBOANGA.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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19 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 97 18 MAY

DON LE COUVRE, (B-2):

JAP NAVY HQS AT FORT PILAR. RADIO STATIONS AT CITY HALL, PROVINCIAL BUILDING, PLAZA THEATRE AND FORMER BUREAU OF POSTS IN BROAD BUILDING.

CITY PROPER NOW ALMOST DESERTED OF JAPS ALTHOUGH THEY ARE MAINTAINING SIGNS OF CONTINUED OCCUPATION.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2311

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1931

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: **G-2**

Message No. 96 from **FERTIG.**

Precis: In re enemy motor transportation in ZAMBOANGA.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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19 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 96 18 MAY

ZAMBOANGA CITY, ZAMBOANGA 15 MAY: (B-2)

TWELVE CIVILIAN TRUCKS IN GALVANIZED IRON GARAGE NEAR WHARF. FIVE US ARMY TRUCKS, TWO IN GARAGE WITH GALVANIZED IRON ROOF 50 YARDS FROM NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, THREE IN UNKNOWN PLACE NOW. USELESS VEHICLES ALONG ROAD FROM FORMER PA HDQS TO NORMAL SCHOOL.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2310

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1930

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 98 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions in ZAMBOANGA.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2, Navy advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR
FROM : FERTIG

NR 98 18 MAY

DON LE COUVRE, (C-3):

COASTAL GUNS REPORTEDLY OF LARGE CALIBRE AT ZAMBOANGA
TRADE SCHOOL AREA WITH GUNS LOCATED UNDER HOUSE AND CAMOUFLAGED
BY HANGING GARDENS OF AIRPLANTS AND ORCHIDS.

POSSIBLE FAKE BUT GAS TANKS ARE CAMOUFLAGED NEAR PC
BARRACKS AND BISHOPS PLACE.

(B-2): TWO HAND DRAWN THREE-INCH GUNS AT JAP ARMY
HQS AT GENERAL HOSPITAL.

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Report No. 2309

Date: 19 May 1944

PRS Action Sheet

No. 1929

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 99 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re fake enemy airfield at ZAMBOANGA.

Comment: It is good to be able to thus expose the enemy's attempted deception.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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19 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 99 18 MAY

DON LE COUVRE (B-2):

SAN JOSE FIELD NEAR THE NORMAL SCHOOL IS A FAKE.
SIMPLY RICE FIELD NOT EVEN LEVELED OR ROLLED AND SURROUNDED
BY FAKE BARRACKS OF NIPA WITHOUT FLOORS.



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AIB Info.
Report No. 2308

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1928

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 242 from PERALTA.

Precis: In re enemy dispositions and action in PANAY.

Comment: Note reported shift in enemy conduct in mopping up operations.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 242 17 MAY

AS OF 15 MAY: MOST NORTHERN GARRISON IN ANTIQUE IS MAGARANG WITH 14 NIPS. MOST WESTERN GARRISON IN CAPIZ IS IBAJAY WITH ABOUT 28 NIPS. ONLY ROUTINE ACTIVITY IN ANTIQUE AND WESTERN CAPIZ FOR FIRST HALF MAY. NIPS MOPPING UP CENTRAL PART OF ISLAND ABOUT 800. SEEM CAREFUL TO AVOID COMMITTING ATROCITIES AND OBVIOUSLY LOOKING FOR FOOD. ONLY ROUTINE ACTIVITY THROUGHOUT DISTRICT EXCEPT CENTRAL PART.

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Date: 19 May 1944

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No. 1927

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: ^WG-2

Message No. 91 from FERTIG.

Precis: In re enemy situation in ZAMBOANGA CITY.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : FERTIG

NR 91 17 MAY

DON LE COUVRE:

GOOD INTELL ORGANIZATION IN ZAMBOANGA CITY, ZAMBOANGA,
MANY CIVILIAN OFFICIALS CONVINCED AND ADVISING PEOPLE TO
LEAVE CITY.

JAP MORALE SHAKEN BY SINKING TWO SHIPS NEAR MANALIPA
AND ONE NEAR LABUAN. HUNDREDS OF JAP BODIES FLOATING IN
SEA BROUGHT TO CITY AND BURNED.

MANY JAPS HAVE TRANSFERRED TO RECODO AND PASONANCA.

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AIB Info.
Report No. 2306

Date: 19 May 1944

FRS Action Sheet

No. 1926

TO: Chief of Staff.

Coordination: G-2

Message No. 245 from PERALTA.

Precis: In re enemy strengths in PANAY.

Comment: None.

Action taken:

G-2 advised.

Action recommended:

None.

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18 MAY 1944

TO : GENERAL MACARTHUR

FROM : PERALTA

NR 245 18 MAY

AS OF MAY 10 ONLY 1200 JAPS IN ILOILO CITY WITH ABOUT SAME NUMBER IN TOWN GARRISONS AND MOPPING UP FORCE IN ILOILO PROVINCE. ARRIVALS END APRIL PROBABLY LEFT AT NIGHT FIRST WEEK MAY. NO INCREASE OF JAPS IN CAPIZ AND ANTIQUE EXCEPT 100 REPLACEMENTS ARRIVED CAPIZ MAY 9. ESTIMATE ENTIRE DISTRICT EXCEPT GUIMARAS ABOUT 3500 JAPS MAY 10.

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